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DECLINE TO TRY DR. BROWN.

A Victory for the Accused Pastor at the Conference.

HE NOW TAKES HIS SEAT.

An Enormous throng Present at the Berkeley Church.

MANY LADIES ON HAND.

The Center Figure of the Big Scandal Early on Hand.

The Bay Conference of Congregational Churches opened this afternoon at half past one o'clock in the First Congregational Church of Berkeley A large number of delegates were in attendance from San Francisco, Marin and Alameda Counties and in the audience were many ladies

The auditorium of the church was tastefully decorated with cut flowers, palms and foliage.

The delegates present represented Congregational Churches located in Alameda, North and South Berkeley, Lorin, Decoto, Dougherty, Fitchburg, Fruitvale, Haywards, Mission San Jose, Niles, San Rafael, Sausalito, Sunol, San Francisco and Oakland. From Oakland the following churches had delegates seated.

First, Second, Plymouth Avenue, Fourth Pilgrim and Market Street

The San Francisco churches represented are the First, Plymouth, Third, Fourth, Bethany, Olivet, Swedish, Eighth and Pierce Street.

Each church is entitled to at least three delegates the pastor, or acting pastor, serving as one, while two others may be selected from the congregation

Among the delegates in attendance are Revs E. S. Chapman, H. H. Cole, W H. Cooke, Philip Coombe, A. K. Crawford, A. Drahms, Frederick Howith, F. H. Foster, W. Frear, J. H. Goodell, J. K. Harrison, G. B. Hatch, J. C. Holbrook, William Rader, R. R. Lloyd, O. M. Lucas, F. H. Moor, Geo. T. McCollune, J. K. McLean, George Mooar, C S Nash, F. B. Perkins, J Rea, J. Rowell W. W. Scudder, W. A. Tenney, W. H. Tubb, F. H. Wales, James H. Warren, H. H. Wikoff, Mahlon Willett, S. H. Willey, W. D. Williams, Daniel Wirt and Logal L. Wirt and Dr. Freeland.

Friends of Dr Brown form a large part of the attendance, though that the opposition is on hand is evident. The clergymen refrain from discussing the matter in any of its phases and it is intimated that the affair will be hushed up. It is assured that some of his friends are working with this aim in view.

The order of exercises for today and tonight is as follows.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

1:45—Opening service, J. H. Goodell, Moderator.

2 00—Preliminary business.

2 15—Reports from the Churches.

3:15—Annual business.

4.00—"Mythical Element in the Bible," W. W. Lovejoy.

4 45—"The World's Peace," J. R. Bacon

5.30—Recess.

EVENING SESSION.

7 00—Opening service.

7 15—Business

7 45—"Christian Citizenship," Wm. Rader.

8.30—Closing business and adjournment.

DR. BROWN ARRIVES.

Just before the call to order Dr. Brown and several clergical friends walked down the aisle and took prominent seats. All eyes were turned in his direction and a low buzz of whispers swept over the auditorium.

Mrs. May Davis and Dr. Rogers are in Dr Brown's party.

Rev J. H Goodell, moderator, opened the meeting by announcing the hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

After a Scripture selection, Rev. Dr. Moore offered a prayer, and Rev Dr. Perkins followed, asking for divine blessing.

Rev Goodell called for the Credential called upon the members of the conference to assist him, as there was much work to be done at this session.

Rev. Hatch, registrar, acting as scribe, then called the roll of churches, and Revs. Cooke and Mooar then collected the names of the ministerial delegates.

Rev. Goodall called for the Credential Committee, but it was not in evidence.

Dr. Williams moved that the conference proceed to the business of the Credential Committee, and consider the advisability of admitting several new members and churches. As the chairman of the Conference Committee at this time appeared, he was allowed to make his report but asked for further time, as all names had not been considered

It is understood that the report of this committee will precipitate the action regarding Dr. Brown

Registrar Hatch then read the minutes of the previous session.

REQUA STILL PRESIDENT.

Election Today of Officers of the Central Pacific Railroad.

SAN FRANCISCO, Apr. 14.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Pacific Company today, the Board of Directors was unanimously re-elected

Subsequently the Directors organized by the election of the following officers.

President, Isaac L. Requa vice president, C P Huntington; second vice-president W. H. Mills; third vice-president J E. Gates, secretary, William Thompson.

WILL NOT ACT.

The Committee on Credentials has refused to take up Dr. Brown's case.

Dr. McLean has proposed that the whole matter be referred to some future date, when Dr. Brown can be given a new trial.

This will be the order.

Dr Brown therefore takes his seat as a member of the conference.

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Bishop Ryan's Funeral.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BUFFALO, April 14.—The funeral services of the late Bishop Ryan were held in the Cathedral today. Arch-Bishop Corrigan officiated at the Pontoficial high mass and the sermon was preached by Arch-Bishop Ireland The body was lowered into the vault in the Cathedral beside that of Bishop Ryan's predecessor in the office.

Municipal Meetings.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners will meet this afternoon and tonight the Board of Public Works convenes. The appointment of a stenographer and assistant clerk in the office of the Superintendent of Streets will come before the latter body, but Miss Babcock, the present incumbent, has things arranged and will be reappointed. The position was declared vacant last evening by the Council through the red tape of raising the salary of the clerk.

TILLMAN IS AT DENVER.

The Southern Senator Is Very Emphatic About Free Silver.

He Wants Delegations to Bolt When A Gold-Bug Is Named.

DENVER, April 14.—Senator Tillman arrived in Denver this morning and was met at the train by leading Democrats.

Tonight a public reception will be tendered the distinguished visitor and tomorrow night he will address the State Democratic Convention

He said the outlook is altogether favorable for the Democratic Convention to be controlled by a free silver wing

He will probably not leave Denver until Thursday.

"I am a Democrat," said Senator Tillman today to Mayor McMurray, "but if I may be permitted to offer a word of advice to the free silver Republicans of Colorado, send Senator Teller to the St Louis Convention as Chairman of the Delegation, with instructions which he will gladly obey, to lead his delegation from the convention hall the moment McKinley, or any other gold bug is nominated for President, or any other platform than one demanding free silver without awaiting the consent of England"

He concluded "The country is going to hell! Let us show the world we know it and we are determined to interfere."

A Direct Charge.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CINCINNATI, April 14.—At Newport, Ky., today the attorneys for the commonwealth made the officials announcement that they would prove Jackson and Walling were together on the Covington suspension bridge soon after the murder of Pearl Bryan and that they were seen throwing the head of a murdered girl in the Ohio river.

HAS HEARD FROM GROVER

The Spanish Premier Is Officially Notified About Cuba.

Such Is the Story That Is Now Going the Rounds in Madrid.

LONDON, April 14.—A despatch from Madrid to the Pall Mall Gazette says: Senor Canovas del Castillo, the Spanish Premier, is ill and cannot be interviewed.

His relatives, however confirm the existence of a "communique" from President Cleveland. But in the present state of public feeling, it will be impossible for the government to accept his offer

Matters are very complicated and while the government will do everything in its power to avoid a quarrel with the United States, it will prefer to fight rather than lose Cuba through foreign pressure.

The coming Cortes will grant Cuba every reasonable franchise that has been enjoyed under the Spanish flag.

NOT KNOWN AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Nothing is known at the State Department of any such communication from President Cleveland to the Spanish Premier, Senor Castillo, as is referred to in a telegram from Madrid.

It is surmised, however, that the matter is entering into Spanish politics and is perhaps being therefore more or less distorted to serve party purposes.

Married to Death.

DANNEMORA, N. Y., April 14.—Joseph Zlamel was put to death in the state prison by electricity at Clinton today. He murdered his sweetheart, Theresa Kamora, by cutting her throat with a razor August 30, 1895. Jealousy was the cause.

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A RICH ESTATE.

Appraisement Made of the Property of Young Walkerley.

Messrs. Joseph Lanktree, J. B. Travers and J. C Ewing, appraisers of the estate of the late Willie Martin Walkerly, minor son of William Walkerly, the deceased capitalist, have filed their report which places the value of the property at $195 867 49. This represents a one-half interest of the child in all the property of William Walkerly which was distributed to the son's mother, now Blanche M. Burbank, as his sole heir-at-law. Because of this distribution it was thought that the appraisers might place only a nominal value on the property found by them. They, however, elected to take the figures of the assessors with the above result. The estate includes a half-interest in the block bounded by Humboldt 20th street, 6th avenue and Jordan street in East Oakland; the Pacific Union Building and ground in San Francisco, assessed at $236,909, 122 shares of capital stock in the Wyoming Coal and Coking Company; a claim against the Pacific Union Club for rent of $1250 and against C. F. Webb for $400.

CONTRA COSTA.

The Old Board of Directors Is Re-Elected Today.

The stockholders of the Contra Costa Water Company met this morning at the company's office on Montgomery street, in San Francisco

About twenty stockholders were present in person, representing 4,500 shares of stock and proxies were represented to the extent of 23,500 shares, making a total attendance of stock of 28,000 shares.

President Pierce read a statement of the company's affairs which was placed on file.

Mr Collins then nominated the old Board of Trustees namely Messrs. Pierce, Metcalf, Talbot, Knight and Knowles, for re-election

There being no other nominees the old Board was unanimously elected.

It was resolved to amend the constitution so that hereafter the Trustees shall number seven instead of five.

The meeting then adjourned.

NEW UNIFORMS.

Chief Lloyd Recommends Changes for His Staff Officers.

Chief Lloyd wants a change in the uniform of the police officers He has sent a communication to the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, recommending:

1 That captains shall wear a double breasted coat of blue, with two rows of brass buttons up and down the front.

2. Sergeants, single breasted sack coat, to button up to the neck

These officers shall also wear regular police caps, with the word "captain" or "sergeant" across the front.

For the patrolmen he wants a chevrons of black cloth on the sleeves, and for chief, captains and sergeants chevrons of gold braid.

The matter will come up before the Police and Fire Commissioners this afternoon.

DEAD IN THE BATH TUB.

A Leading Merced Merchant Meets a Strange End.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MERCED, Cal., April 14.—M. Hartman, a leading merchant, was found floating in the bath-tub at his home this morning, dead

He had been told by his physician to take a hot bath before retiring for insomnia.

Last night he went to the bath and was not seen till found dead this morning.

It is not known whether the drowning in his own bath tub was suicide or accidental.

A RUNAWAY GIRL.

Lena Wyman Has Gone, but Is Not Stage Struck.

Miss Lena Wyman of Eighth and Chester streets has disappeared from her home and her mother fears she has sought fame on the histrionic boards

Miss Lillie Wolfe who it was reported had disappeared with Miss Wyman but who in fact is at home and has been ever since Miss Wyman left, was seen today by a Tribune reporter Miss Wolfe does not think her absent friend's ideas reached as high as the stage and says that she left home to work in a cologne factory in San Francisco and a search through those establishments would probably reveal her far quicker than the inspection of green rooms.

Just Three Wine Casks.

Public Administrator Knight has been given permission to sell the personal property of the estate of the late Lorenzo Ghiozzi, the old gardener, nicknamed "Garibaldi," who was killed by the Seventh street local a year ago. The property makes a melancholy showing comprising only three wine casks.

Revival Meetings.

Revival meetings are being held nightly at the Tenth avenue Baptist Church in East Oakland. Rev. C. Hill assisted by Revs. Whitaker and Jordan, are personally conducting the meetings, and good music will be rendered each evening.

The Grand Jury.

Judge Greene issued an order today for the calling of a grand jury and the names of the nineteen county inquisitors will probably be selected tomorrow. The names from which the nineteen are to be drawn have already been selected by Judge Greene.

Another Bid for Liberty

Another writ of habeas corpus has been issued by Judge Ellsworth in the Root case. It is returnable at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

DEFEND THE COAST.

Senator Squire Says We Are at the Mercy of Foreign Foes.

FORTRESSES SURROUND US.

Arizona's Statehood Bill Is Reported by the House Committee.

THE PACIGIC CABLE BOOMED.

Congressional Aid Will Be Extended by Liberal Subsidies.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Senator Morrill of Vermont, reached the age of 86 years today and the event was referred to in the opening prayer of the Chaplain, who spoke of the white-haired Senator as hale in body, clear, sound and vigorous in intellect, esteemed by his brother Senators, by his state and by the whole country At the conclusion of the prayer, Morrill received congratulations from many of his associates.

Shortly after the session opened, Morrill announced that Thursday next he would speak of the necessity of additional quarters for the National Museum.

Squire, (Washn.), was then recognized for a speech on the need of coast defenses.

Squire said that all the evidence taken by the committee on coast defense is lamentable in the extreme. The defensive works are of a character incapable of resisting modern artillery. Evidence is overwhelming that in case of war our whole people would suffer immeasurably. He concluded: "We are encircled as a nation with a chain of foreign fortresses and coaling stations impervious to attack while our rich sea coast cities and ports, including San Diego, San Francisco, Portland and Puget Sound lay exposed and helpless against the attack of foreign powers that possess navies."

ENGLAND IS SILENT.

No Testimony Yet Placed Before the Venezuelan Commission.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Venezuelan Commission met today after a ten days' recess, with all the members present.

The time was consumed in reading reports from the individual members upon the progress they are making with particular matters of investigation entrusted to them.

Scruggs, consul for the Venezuelan Government, submitted forty maps and charts which are receiving consideration. He also had presented a few translations of documents included in a mass of evidence prepared at Caracas and transmitted to the Commission through Minister Andrade.

Word has come from London to the effect that the British Government is preparing a supplement to the Blue Book, containing translations of documents generally referred to in the first volume which is expected to reach Washington soon, but saving the presentation of the Blue Book, and even this came indirectly the British Government has so far failed to follow the example set by Venezuela and submit a formal case to the Commission and to accept the invitation to be represented by counsel.

IN ARIZONA'S FAVOR.

The House Bill Is Reported by the House Committee.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—At a special meeting of the House Committee on Territories today, the Arizona Statehood bill was ordered reported favorably to the House.

The vote stood five in favor and two against.

Those in the affirmative were: Republicans, Scranton, Perkins, Lefevre; Democrats, Turner and Cooper of Texas.

Those against were: Republicans, Hadley and Low.

Avery was paired with Knox and Harris was paired with Harrison.

Owens of Kentucky was present, but did no vote. The special meeting of the committee, he said, had been called for the purpose of hearing a report on the New Mexican Statehood bill. It was not proper that the Arizona Statehood measure should be taken up without warning, and while the members who opposed it were absent. His request that the matter go over to the next meeting was refused, however, and he absented himself from the room while the vote was being taken.

AN OLD SUIT.

Notwithsanding the tradition about the "relics of old decency," a seedy, time-worn or faded cut of date suit often spoils the chances, and places at a great disadvantage an otherwise shrewd and intelligent man. One of Byron Rutley's finely tailored, perfect fitting and fashionable suits of clothes will place you in a position that will not only command the respect and admiration of all your friends and acquaintances, but will aid you greatly, both in a social and financial way.

Call and see them before purchasing elsewhere.

WILLING TO AID.

Vote in Favor of a Subsidy for the Pacific Cable

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Nicaragua Canal and Hawaiian Cable questions were considered by the House Committee on Commerce today, but no votes were taken on any of the bills.

It was decided to dispose finally of the question of reporting the canal bill to the House a week from next Friday.

Meantime hearings may be continued, and probably some of the Government engineers will be called upon to give their views

General Swayne, who represents the Pacific Cable Co. of New Jersey, of which Col. Spaulding of the Hawaiian Islands is president, made a statement to the committee in the interest of that company.

A resolution was adopted by a vote of ten to four, expressing the sense of the committee to be that the Government should aid by subsidy the construction of the Pacific Cable.

Neither of two rival companies competing for Government patronage were named in the resolution and no terms were suggested.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Amendments by the Senate Committee to the Sundry Civil Bill.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Senate committee on public buildings and grounds has authorized favorable reports on the amendments to sundry civil bill, increasing the limit of cost for public buildings at Cheyenne, Wyo., from $150,000 to $250,000, and Boise City, Idaho, from $150,000 to $200,000 and Helena, Mont., from $150,000 to $300,000. An appropriation of $100,000 was made available in each case.

FROM OVER THE SEA.

An Ex-New Yorker Wins Quite a Victory in London.

English Society Gathers at the Newmarket Race Track.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 14.—Proceedings in the recriminatory petition brought by H. H. Marks, a member of Parliament for St George's District against J. Williams Benn and all other proceedings in this famous election case, have been dropped Benn withdraws his plea for a scrutiny of votes and pays Marks, who was formerly a New York newspaper man £1000 for satisfaction and costs.

RACING AT NEWMARKET.

NEW MARKET, England, April 14.—The Newmarket-Craven meeting commenced today.

In the race for the thirty eighth New Market biennial stakes, Leopold Rothschilds' Galeazzo won; Sir John J. Blundel Mapels Palaver, second; the Duke of Westminster's Attainment, third.

Next race, Fitzwilliam Plate, 500 sovereigns, Sir R. Waldie-Griffith's Princess Anne, won; Baron De Hirsch's Chantilly second; F. C. Glayton's All Moonshine, third.

Crawford Plate handicap—Andra Oswald's Mena, won; G. S. Revelt's Villager, second; Baron Hirsch's Sauterelle, third.

A MINING DISASTER.

DURHAM, April 14.—An explosion occurred in a colliery at Wellington. Eight miners are known to have been killed and it is believed eighteen persons will lose their lives through the disaster.

ROYALTY MOVING.

VIENNA, April 14.—The Emperor and Empress of Germany and suites arrived from Venice this morning.

FELL FROM A TRESTLE.

A Passenger Train Wrecked on a Louisiana Line.

Eleven Persons Badly Hurt As a Result of the Storm.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW ORLEANS, April 14.—A train consisting of a combination baggage car, two day coaches and a sleeper plunged through a trestle on the Queen & Crescent road three miles above Vossburg this morning.

Reports of the wreck are meagre, but the latest information received is that six passengers were injured, one seriously.

The heavy rain storm which swept through Louisiana and Mississippi is responsible for the wreck.

The latest information received at this point is that eleven passengers were injured, one seriously.

Nothing is said of the train crew.

The injured are: C. H. Ball, address unknown; J. Petterich, Atlanta; R. L. Chislow, Marion, Miss.; Mrs. James Snell and child, England; J. Isaacs, Ellisville, Miss.; Mrs. John Dymold, New Orleans; J. T. Bates, Slidell, La.; J. McCormick, Meridian, Miss.; S. C. Ferguson, Cincinnati; A. B. Avery, Hatchburg, Miss.

Like Reorganization.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The reorganization committee of the Oregon Short Line announce that 90 per cent of the bonds and a majority of the stock have assented to the plan

THE PIPE MUST GO.

Councilman Buckland Talks About Eighth Street Bridge.

HIS RESOLUTION FAVORED.

The Contra Costa Company's Main Declared a Nuisance.

MILLER READY TO ACT.

The Instructions Will Be in His Hands Very Soon.

The committee took the first step last evening toward removing the water main and boxing of the Contra Costa Water Company from the Eighth street bridge, and the Street Superintendent will go to work on the job as soon as the resolution reaches him. The removal of the pipe has been a thing long talked of, but it remained for Councilman Buckland to introduce the resolution, and his colleagues supported it to a man.

"It must be removed the same as any other nuisance," said Mr. Buckland this morning. The bridge is to be repaired, and it must look first class. I introduced the resolution, and I intend to push it through. What the company will do with the pipe is more than I know Other pipes have been laid under the mud, and I see no reason why this pipe should not be so laid. There is also the Alameda trestle. Let the company make arrangements with the railroad and transfer the main to its trestle.

"Will I vote to leave the pipe there if the company offers to pay towards the rebuilding of the bridge? No, sir. It ought to be removed, and I shall vote to have it done."

The resolution is now in the City Clerk's office, and, if he can get around to it, will be sent to the Board of Public Works this evening. There it is sure to have the Mayor's support, for he has advised that the Eighth street bridge be built of iron and steel, and have a draw and with the water main crossing it a draw bridge could not be operated. There is no reason why the Board should not instruct the Street Superintendent to carry out the resolution and when it gets to him here will be fun. The main conveys thousands of gallons daily, and if the company refuses to remove it, the only thing left for the street department to do will be to cut the pipe at each end of the bridge and proceed to carry out the Council's order

WHAT MILLER WILL DO.

Street Superintendent Miller is waiting patiently for the resolution to come to him. "I never cross a bridge until I come to it," he said, "and I have received no official notice of the order yet. When it does come to me, however, I shall proceed as we do to abate other nuisances—that is, if I am not served with a restraining order, which will probably be the case."

Dr. Buckland thought of the restraining order before he drew up his resolution. "Let them come with it," he says. "We have the right on our side, and the sooner it comes the better, for it will settle the matter once for all."

THE MEEK MURDERS.

A Rehearing Is to Be Asked Before the Supreme Court.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, April 14.—A special to the Star from Jefferson City, Mo., says:

Virgil Conkling, attorney for the Taylor brothers, murderers of the Meeks family, is here today to appear before the Supreme Court to ask for a rehearing in the case.

Conkling was asked today if he had a proposition looking to the surrender of Geo. Taylor to make to the court.

He replied: "I have no proposition such as that to make. I do not know where George Taylor is. I will simply ask for a rehearing.

Has Holmes Been Faking?

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PITTSBURG, April 14.—Insurance Inspector Gary, of the Fidelity Mutual Life of Philadelphia, in which Holmes's victim Pietzel was insured, says Holmes did not commit all the murders he confessed to. Kate Durke is in Omaha, Dr. Russell is in Michigan, Roma Van Fassant in Arkansas, and Robert Latimer in Chicago.

Illinois for McKinley.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WATSEKA, Ill., April 14.—The Republican Congressional Convention for the Fourteenth Illinois District met today and re-nominated Joseph G. Cannon for Congress. Resolutions were adopted instructing for McKinley.

A Paying Property.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

NEW YORK, April 14.—The Anaconda Copper Mining Co. has declared a dividend of 62½ per cent per share, payable May 1st. This disbursement is at the rate of 10 per cent per annum. Future dividends will be declared semi-annually, in April and October.

A BURNING QUESTION.

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WANT TO PLAY TENNIS.

The Stanford Co-Eds Are After the Berkeley Girls Again.

Freshmen Decide After All to Decide In a Bourdon Burial.

BERKELEY, April 13.—The Stanford girls are very proud of their recent victory over the U. C. basket ball players and are now trying to arrange for an inter-collegiate tennis match with the U. C. players. Unfortunately the U. C. girls are not formed into a club and are not even regularly organized. The tennis courts have just been put in repair and the girls can begin practice now if they so desire. The best players among the co-eds are Miss McCleave, Miss Adeline Robinson, Miss Nash and Miss Maude Robinson. No arrangements have been definitely decided upon as yet for a match with Stanford as the girls are a little bit afraid of being defeated by the crimson.

WILL HAVE A BOURDON.

The Freshman class have finally decided to conform with old customs and have the usual bourdon celebration in spite of the strength of the Sophomore team. The date for the "Bourdon" has not been settled upon but class assessments are being collected and the affair will occur as soon as class finances warrant it. The Freshmen intend it to be a most glorious celebration even if they are finally overpowered in a "rush."

The "Bourdon" procession will march by all the fraternity houses which will be brilliantly illuminated for the evening's fun and end on the campus if the soph's permit.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The review in honor of General Graham will take place on April 16th.

The Boating Association held a meeting last week and reported $316.25 received and $316.25 expenditure.

A meeting of the Athletic Association of the University of California is called for next Friday for the purpose of nominating officers for the ensuing year.

The Student Co-operative Association has elected the following board of officers for the ensuing year: Professors Haskell and Plehn, W. T. Jurgens '97, George Clark '98 and E. T. Clark '99.

Stanford athletes have very generously offered to enter the athletic contests held on May 2d for the purpose of raising funds for the proposed Eastern trip. The Berkeley boys feel very much gratified at the spirit shown by the Stanford athletes.

DIGGING UP BILLS.

The County's Charges Against the City Being Run Down.

This morning Auditor Whidden and County Expert Davis began the work of ascertaining how much money the city has collected from the county for the holding of preliminary examinations. They worked backward from the present time, examining all the warrants recorded in the Auditor's office as having been paid to the city. Up to about noon they had gone through the records as far back as 1889, and there they were compelled to stop, because it was in that year that the Auditor's office was established and beyond which time Auditor Whidden has no records. The Police Clerks in whose favor the warrants were drawn were Tom Crawford, the present incumbent of the office, Walter Lambert and W. S. O'Brien. The amounts varied, ranging from $66 for three months in 1893 to $174 for ten months in 1890.

It is estimated that if the county should be able to secure from the city all that it has paid out in his manner it would be saved the necessity of making extra provision to supply the money now demanded by settlers in the swamp land reclamation districts by whom claims have already been filed with the Supervisors.

A Bad Break-Down.

A pleasure party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Rogers and their three children, Frank Sanders of Berkeley and Mrs. Rogers' sister, Miss Emma Linquist of Adeline street, came to grief on the steep grade of the Moraga Valley road. The brake of the conveyance broke and the horses became unmanageable and threw the entire party into the road. Rogers who was dragged 100 feet, escaped with a few bad bruises. Mrs. Rogers and her children were unhurt and Sanders also escaped injury. Miss Linguist was the most severely injured, receiving a slight concussion of the brain and having several ribs broken. The injured were caried home by the Olsen brothers.

Charity Remembered.

Luceba E. Agard has filed a petition for the probate of the will of her mother, Hannah G. Noyes who died March 14th, in Los Angeles, leaving property in this State valued at $11,000. Her property will be divided among different charitable organizations on the death of Mrs. Agard. The following Oakland institutions were mentioned in the will. Young Men's Christian Association of Oakland, $1500; Young Women's Christian Association of Oakland, $1500; Kindergarten connected with the First Congregational Church, Oakland, $500.

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POLITICAL POINTERS.

Republican Ward Clubs Are Permanently Organizing for Work.

MANY CALLS ARE ISSUED.

Heavy Voting at Municipal Elections Throughout the State.

THE OPPOSITION TO M'KINLEY.

General Gleanings Regarding Doings of Party Generals.

(Secretaries of the political clubs of all parties are requested to send notices of meetings to the Tribune as soon as arranged. Address City Editor.)

Pursuant to notice the Republicans of the Fourth Ward met last evening at Montana Hall, Adeline Station and perfected the organization of a ward club by the election of H. A. Powell, President, W. D. Meritt and H. T. Bickell, vice presidents, and L. G. Wolff and and R. T. Conger, Secretaries.

There was a larger attendance than at any preliminary meeting for a number of years past, showing that the people of this district are waking up to the necessity of taking active part in the campaign.

The members were emphatic in their desire for primaries. The club adjourned to meet next Thursday evening in the banquet room of Montana Hall.

Third Ward Call.

At the meeting of the Third Ward Republican Club last night it was decided to participate in the primaries to be held Saturday and in consequence the club will meet this evening to select delegates.

A Fifth Ward Call.

The following circular has been issued by the Fifth Ward Republican Club:

The next meeting of the Old Fifth Ward Republican Club is postponed from Wednesday evening until Friday, April 17th, at 8 o'clock P. M., at Elite Hall. The report of the Conference Committee will then be presented and other matters of great importance will come before the club.

A full attendance is hoped for.

C. O. ALEXANDER, President.
ED. L. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Alameda Primaries.

In Alameda primaries will also be held. The regular Republican Club has issued the ultimatum to the Alameda Republican Club that unless an agreement is reached at the meeting of the latter on next Wednesday night for the holding of joint club primaries public primaries will be held on Saturday from 2 to 8 P. M.

The "Regulars" will meet on Thursday night and make arrangements for the primaries in either event. Should it be necessary for the "Regulars" to hold primaries the polling places will be as follows: First—At Linderman's, for the territory east of Walnut street. Second—At Bay station, for the territory between McPherson and Walnut streets. Third—At Holtz Hall for the territory west of McPherson street.

Regular Organization

Charles Mautalen, Chairman of the Republican County Central Comittee is authority for the statement that the Committee will meet within two weeks for the purpose of organizing regular Republican clubs in each ward in the city, as well as in the outlying districts.

In speaking of the matter he has said: "In order to make everything regular it has been determined that a meeting of the Republican County Central Committee shall be called within two weeks for the purpose of organizing regular Republican Clubs in each ward in the city and in various outside districts. We will pass a resolution instructing the committeeman from each ward in the City of Oakland and from the various outside districts to organize clubs in their sections, the clubs that they organize to be recognized as the regular Republican Clubs of the district. The other clubs may continue to exist, if they wish, but they will not be recognized by the County Committee."

San Francisco Primaries.

The Republican primaries will be held in San Francisco tomorrow from 1 to 7 P. M.

A Lot of Elections.

City elections were held generally throughout the State yesterday.

At San Jose the election was quiet and only 3959 votes were cast with the following result for the principal offices: For Mayor, Valentine Koch (D.) defeating E. P. Main, (R.) by 569 votes. J. N. Ewing (R and D.) was re-elected Treasurer by 200 majority. J. A. Kidward (R.) was re-elected Chief of Police, defeating E. R. Bailey (D.) by 1210. A. G. Bennett (R.) was re-elected Commissioner of Streets, defeating F. C. McKiernan by 228. There were six candidates in the field.

Elections were held in Healdsburg, Santa Cruz, Riverside, Colton, Redlands, Ontario, Red Bluff, Lakeport, Benecia, Ukiah, Auburn, Martinez, Redding, Willows, Watsonville, San Luis Obispo, Merced, Antioch, San Mateo, St. Helena, Stockton, Sonoma, Cloverdale, and San Jose.

At Riverside the Prohibitionists were victorious, as also at Redlands.

The Colton election resulted in a victory for the A. P. A.

Great interest was manifested in the election of city officers at Martinez yesterday and the largest vote ever polled in a city election was cast. The following trustees were elected: J. J. Anderson, W. A. Hale, W. R. Mathews, J. P. Barnard was elected Marshal.

The city election at Modesto passed off quietly, but a large vote was polled. All the candidates were independent, but the A. P. A. question was made quite an issue. None of the candidates who are generally considered members of the organization were elected. The Trustees elected are: Robert Elder, P. F. Morton, J. F. Tucker, and A. R. Jamison; City Clerk, W. A. Harder; Treasurer, James Johnson; City Marshal, R. D. Young. All those elected had majorities ranging from 100 to 150.

Larrabee on Allison

Ex-Governor William Larabee of Iowa arrived in San Francisco yesterday with his family. In speaking of the National political outlook he said:

"I understand there are a good many McKinley men in California," said he, "but we think we have a man who is in every way an excellent one for the high office, and we are sincerely desirous of his nomination.

"In Iowa everybody is for him; that is, all the Republicans are. Indeed, most of the Democrats are, too, and he would poll many a vote outside of his party. We are in favor of Senator Allison because of his long experience, sound Republicanism and general conservatism. He would, in my judgment, be a safe, progressive man, and would reflect honor on the nomination. He is something of a bimetallist, I believe, and was a member of the commission a few years ago."

The A. P. A. and McKinley.

The local members of the A. P. A. are naturally taking much interest in the dispatches announcing that their organization will oppose McKinley and in this connection a statement by the State President, B. F. Hudelson, is interesting, for in addition to his local office he is a member of the National Advisory Board. He says:

"A great deal has been said of late by representatives of the American Protective Association to indicate that the organization of which they are members has definitely announced its opposition to William McKinley as a Presidential possibility. The American Protective Association has made no such announcement in reference to McKinley or to any other aspirant for Convention honors. It will not officially declare its position until the eve of the Convention with whose work it is concerned. The Advisory Board, to which has been delegated the power of investigation and suggestion, has taken no action, and will not until the meeting in Washington May 12th. All assertions to the contrary, from whatever source they may emanate, are without authority and mean nothing more than the personal opinions of those who express them."

"The American Protective Association," he continued, "will take part in all the National Conventions and will have a large representation in each. My personal opinion is that the order at large will prefer Allison or Cullom to McKinley. In a discussion of McKinley the fact that his brother is a Catholic will unquestionably play an important part in determining our position."

County Clerk Frank Jordan says:

"Concerning the attitude of the American Protective Association toward McKinley for President I have only this to say: That the principles of the American Protective Association include the elevation of the standard of American citizenship, the protection and preservation of our free public school system, and the purification of American politics. I believe that McKinley is a representative American citizen and that he can and will favor those principles which the American Protective Association is anxious to see advanced."

George G. Baker, ex-State President, said: "The A. P. A. is divided at this time on the Presidential nominee for the Republican party. The National Advisory Board has the sole right to secure pledges from National candidates to public offices.

Prohibition Convention.

The eighth Prohibition National Convention, which will convene in Pittsburg next month, promises to be the most largely attended of any yet held by that party. The Pacific Coast will be particularly well represented. The California delegation as arranged for a special train to come right through. It will be handsomely decorated and be christened the California Prohibition special.

The candidates for the Presidency so far are Joshua Levering of Baltimore; C. E. Bentley of Lincoln, Neb.; George W. Bain of Lexington, Ky., and W. H. Thompson of Springfield, O.

In the East.

John Otis Humphrey who is a delegate to the National Republican Convention from the Seventeenth Illinois district and who is instructed for McKinley, has received the following telegram from Senator Cullom, referring to the Senator's candidacy: "I have not withdrawn and do not intend to withdraw."

"The Seventh District Republican Convention of Pennsylvania elected Hugh B. Eastburn and James B. Holland as national delegates and indorsed Senator Quay for President.

The First District Convention of Nebraska, elected L. L. Lindsay and H. L. Dovey delegates to the St. Louis Convention, and instructed them for McKinley. Congresman J. L. Strode was renominated.

Senator Ben Tillman of South Carolina reached Denver today en route for the coast. In an interview he said:

"Pressure at home and among the constituents of Congressmen and Senators and the necessity for progressive action has produced a great change. Men who would not speak to me in December are growing more chummy all the time. The outlook is altogether favorable for the Democratic Convention to be controlled by the free silver wing. The news at Washington is coming in from all the States. Senators and other free silver men report that we are going to be in control at Chicago."

McKinley will address the Methodist General Conference in Cleveland, Ohio, next month. He has been specially invited to speak and last night the invitation was accepted.

DR. LAW SUSTAINED.

Vestrymen Meet and Discuss the Recent Church Stories.

The Rector Says They Are All Due to a Few Meddlesome Spirits.

The vestrymen of the Church of the Advent held a meeting last night and expressed their unqualified approval of the Rev. Dr. Law and increased his salary. The vestry feel very much annoyed at some of the recent reports that have been circulated in regard to the parish, and have decided that the reports arise entirely from two or three persons who are trying to cause trouble and oust Dr. Law from his parish.

The vestry say that Dr. Law has done more for the church than any other rector, and that they will do all in their power to keep him. Furthermore, they assure him of their support and approval.

The entire trouble, it is claimed, is caused by a few meddlesome and conservative spirits, who think that any change means a disruption in the church. These few persons have been able to run every other minister to their entire satisfaction, and resent Dr. Law's firm stand as head of the parish. The church was never in a better condition than at present, being not only out of debt, but having $100 in the treasury.

Dr. Law has been advised by the vestrymen not to discuss the subject of church troubles at all, but in answer to questions he said today: "There has been no split or withdrawal of members from the parish. A few women who desired to run matters to suit themselves have been circulating reports detrimental to the church, but there was not a word of truth in their statements. The church has many more active and more public spirited women working for its welfare now than ever before. There is no danger of a split or any other internal disturbance."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A LONG-WINDED FIGHT

The Arroyo Valle Road Matter Is Now In the Courts.

It Was Started Fourteen Years Ago by County Clerk Jordan's Father.

There was a celebrated case up before Judge Ogden this morning and in it, in one way or another, hundreds of people in the Livermore valley are interested.

It is a suit to condemn a right of way for what is known as the Arroyo Valle road.

The proceedings leading up to this suit have been before the Board of Supervisors for years. Petitions have been heard, reports of reviews made, damages assessed, protests filed and, by way of showing their interest in the matter, people in the vicinity of Livermore have made several dozen trips to this city to see what the Supervisors would do in the premises.

The first man to petition for the road was the father of Frank C. Jordan, the present county clerk. He filed his petition fourteen years ago.

After innumerable delays the Supervisors finally adopted the report and recommendation of the viewers and allowed nominal damages to the executrix of G. W. Patterson, R. T. Pope, Mr. Allen, Mrs. Jordan, May Ives-Crocker and Kate May Dillon.

From this award the non-consenting land owners have appealed and the present suit is the consequence. The suit is being conducted for the county by District Attorney Snook and Mr. Crosby, who has been one of the most enthusiastic advocates of the road. Supervisor Bailey is also in attendance and watches the proceedings with the greatest interest.

Recently it was thought that a compromise could be effected with respect to the claims of Allen and Mrs. Jordan when it was announced that $1800 would be satisfactory to them in return for the land to be taken.

With respect to the claims of May Ives-Crocker and Kate May Dillon it was at first announced that they desired only $50. Since then they have demanded that the proposed roadway be fenced and, to do this, will cost from $550 to $700, according to the material that is used.

One of the most active opponents of the scheme is R. T. Pope.

The length of the proposed road is four miles and fifteen chains. It extends southerly from Livermore and, to quote Mr. Crosby, "would open up a section of the county provided with the finest climate, producing the best fruit and accommodating thirty ranches."

A number of witnesses were examined this morning, the testimony of some of whom showed that the damages allowed are inadequate and that in other instances some of the contestants could not reach the new road at all from their property.

SOMETHING IN STORE.

Chief Lloyd Says That He Has Another Case on Root.

The police have something in the background which is to be sprung on Root, so they claim. What it is they refuse to divulge. The Chief says it is a new case which they have recently heard of, but things are not in such a shape at the present time that a complaint can be made, and he fears that should Root know all about it he would put up bonds and skip out.

Root is now being held on two charges of misdemeanor for obtaining money by false pretenses from Hofstra, but the charges were only a subterfuge to hold him, and if the new case which the police talk of develops, they will probably be dismissed.

The misdemeanor cases were called in court this morning, and attorney Nusbaumer wanted them to be tried immediately. The prosecution was not ready, however, and they were set for trial before the court for tomorrow and Thursday. Root's attorney also asked for a reduction of the bail, $1000, but the request was denied.

Nusbaumer will be engaged in the Ghirardelli trial tomorrow, and attorney Reed will defend Root.

FELL TO HIS DEATH.

The Inquest Over John Aegerton Will Be Held Tonight.

The inquest on the remains of John F. Aegerton, the gardener, who was killed yesterday afternoon by falling from a tank frame in the rear of the house at 1165 Seventh street, will be held this evening at 8 o'clock.

Aegerton, with J. W. Underwood, George Barges and Joseph Grimmins, was engaged in taking down an old tank. He was standing on a small scaffolding thirty feet from the ground, knocking the hoops off the tank when he fell, receiving internal injuries from which he soon died.

The deceased was about 41 years of age and leaves two children, Margaret, aged 17 years, and Fred, aged 13.

FINALLY SETTLED.

A Supreme Court Decision in the Rose Case.

Attorney F. W. Fry has received notice that the Supreme Court has confirmed the decision of the Superior Court in the Rose case.

In 1894 Mrs. Rose commenced, through Attorney Fry, an action for divorce. The property involved was valuable, and when the Superior Court decided in her favor Manuel Rose, the defendant, appealed.

The case is now finally disposed of.

RALSTON CLUBS.

Arrangements Being Made for a Local Organization.

An enthusiastic meeting of members of the Ralston Health Club was held the other evening at the office of Dr. Childs in East Oakland for the purpose of organizing a local club.

Dr. W. H. Loomis presided. A committee was appointed to report at the next meeting on by laws. Dr. Childs was requested to address the next meeting setting forth the principles and aims of the Ralston Health Club and of the benefits to be derived from a local club. All Ralstonites are earnestly requested to attend and bring their friends with them. The next meeting was appointed for Saturday evening, April 25th, at 7:30 p. m. in Dr. Childs' office, corner of Thirteenth avenue and Twelfth street, East Oakland.

Our Mother's Mush is made in Oakland.

A Forgiving Wife.

Mrs. S. L. Stare, who had her husband arrested a short time ago for beating her, is now making endeavors to have him released.

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER.

Michael Ghirardelli's Case Is Up Before Judge Greene.

Exhibits Showing the Scene Where Felice Varni Was Killed.

The trial of Michael Ghirardelli for the murder of Felice Varni, near San Leandro, in December of last year, was started before Judge Greene in the Superior Court this morning.

There was a large crowd in attendance, but no more persons were allowed into the chamber than seats could be provided for. This was done in accordance with the orders of Judge Greene and as the consequence of a determination arrived at some time ago by his Honor.

As soon as court opened, the work of securing a jury was proceeded with. Chief Deputy District Attorney Church appeared for the prosecution. He will later be joined by District Attorney Snook, who was engaged today in condemnation proceedings in Judge Ogden's court.

The defendant is represented by attorney Nusbaumer.

Colonel T. F. Garrity is also an interested spectator. He is watching the case as counsel for Antonio Devencenzi and Lazaretti, both of whom are out on bonds as being parties to the crime of which Ghirardelli stands accused. Their trial will come off later.

A feature of the case is the large colored photograph of the scene of the murder and the surrounding country. This is the first time that a work of this kind was ever introduced into a trial in this city. It is an exact reproduction in miniature of the place where the crime was committed.

Besides the picture, there will be introduced a large plat showing the relative location of the residence and outhouses on the several surrounding ranches with reference to the scene of the crime.

The case was thoroughly gone into at the preliminary examination by the District Attorney, but the State will have a new witness in the person of Charles Tyrrell, who is now a Deputy County Assessor, who saw Ghirardelli near the scene of the murder on the day of the deed.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the following jurors had been selected: W. D. Thomas, John McRoe, James Suter, William Langstaff, M. T. Aoton, M. Scheelline, George Meinecke, A. T. McLeod.

A recess was then taken while a special venire was being procured.

TOWN TOPICS.

A regular meeting of the Merchants' Exchange will be held this evening.

The Fabiola Fete Committee will meet this evening.

Anna W. Cushing, a native of Virginia, aged 76 years, died Sunday at her home, 922 Moss avenue.

Jacob Greenhood has recorded a deed transferring to Aline Greenhood lots 12, 20, and 21, in Wilcox Place, running northward from Twenty-first street, between Telegraph avenue and Broadway.

J. C. Andrade has been appointed administrator of the estate of Albino Andrade, deceased.

Died While Dressing.

Mrs. Mary Murphy of 664 Myrtle street died suddenly this morning from hemorrhage of the lungs. She retired last evening feeling well, and was not ill when she arose this morning, but before her toilet had been completed the hemorrhage suddenly attacked her, and she died before medical aid could be summoned. Mrs. Murphy was a native of Ireland, 60 years of age. The Coroner will hold an inquest.

Asks an Allowance.

On the 20th of this month the motion of Adele Rose that Frank Rose allow her alimony to the amount of $100 a month, will be heard in Judge Ogden's court. Mrs. Rose supports her request by showing that her husband owns a number of lots in Washington township, a livery business, with a number of horses and wagons. She also asks for an allowance of $500 as counsel fees.

A Change of Officials.

B. H. Fisher will succeed L. Wheeler as Superintendent of the Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway, on May 1st, Mr. Wheeler having tendered his resignation. Mr. Fisher was formerly assistant to Engineer Storey of the Valley Railroad.

Mrs. Con Crowley Is Dead.

Death has at last come to end the physical and mental troubles of Mrs. Con Crowley, wife of the well-known First Warder. She died at the county infirmary early this morning at the age of 48. Her death was occasioned by cancer.

The Delanoy Row

Mrs. M. F. Delanoy of Alameda has brought suit against her husband, F. N. Delanoy, for the purpose of recovering $600 for six shares of stock in the Mutual Building and Investment Co., which she says she sold the defendant at his own request.

Do You Want Any Seeds?

Congressman Hilborn writes that all persons desirous of being furnished with seed from the Agricultural Department can be accommodated by notifying him immediately by postal card.

Christian Endeavor.

The ninth annual convention of the State Christian Endeavor Union will be held at San Jose, commencing May 14th and continuing three days. Alameda County will have a delegation of from 300 to 500.

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Before buying, look through Schreiber's store, on Washington street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth. They will attend to anything you may desire in the furniture line. Old furniture upholstered and new furniture is made in any style desired. A complete stock of the latest and most fashionable furniture is kept on hand. Elegant and artistic furniture in walnut, oak, mahogany, maple and other woods is alway on display.

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DIED.

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CUSHING—In Oakland, April 12, 1896, Ann White Smith Cushing, a native of Virginia, aged 76 years.

SMITH—In Oakland, April 13, 1896, Catherine Smith, a native of Ohio, aged 55 years.

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GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law; office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSBY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 32.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 463 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 854½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Washington st., near 14th st., gold locket bearing name of "W. Lebrecht." Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning to 511 16th st.

WILL THE PERSON who took a package last Wednesday afternoon from Salinger's store return the same?

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FOR SALE—$20, black walnut desk. Apply to Janitor Blake & Moffitt building.

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FOR RENT—Furnished flat of seven rooms. Inquire at 756 Thirteenth st.

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FOR RENT—Three fine suites suitable for offices. Apply 1116 Washington st.

FOR RENT—Elegant office or desk room. Apply room 6, Macdonough building.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One of the best lodging houses in Oakland, very public location, other business cause of sale. J. D., Box 2, this office.

HOUSES built; easy terms; best locations. Alden & Kronenberg, 902 Brdwy.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, house of nine rooms, lot 25x105 feet, price $800. Inquire at 563 7th st.

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THE PRODUCE MARKET.

WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS.
WHEAT—The Arthur Fitger takes for Cork 42,900 ctls, valued at $46,853.
Quotations are steady, with a fair business. No. 1, $1.07½@1.10; choice, $1.11½; lower grades, $1@1.06¼; extra choice for milling, $1.15@1.20.

CALL BOARD SALES.
Informal Session—10 o'clock—December—100 tons, $1.03½, 300, $1.03⅝.
Regular Morning Session — December — 100 tons, $1.03⅝, 100, $1.03⅞. May — 200, $1.08¼.
Afternoon Session—No sales.
BARLEY—Shipment of 15,086 ctls Brewing, valued at $13,577, to Cork.
During the three months ended March 8 the shipments of Barley from this port to sea amounted to 473,791 ctls, valued at $379,219. During the same time last year, the shipments only amounted to 44,651 ctls, valued at $36,143.
The general tone is firm. Feed, 68¾@71¼c per ctl. choice, 72½@73¼c per ctl; Brewing, 80@85c.

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Informal Session—10 o'clock—No sales.
Regular Morning Session—May—100 tons, 73¼c.
Afternoon Session—No sales.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS
FLOUR—Net cash prices are as follows: Family extras, $3.75@3.85. Bakers' extras, $3.55@3.65, superfine, $2.75@3 per bbl.
CORNMEAL, ETC — Feed Corn, $20@21.50, Cracked Corn, $21 per ton.
MILLSTUFFS—Prices in 10-lb sacks are as follows, usual discount to the trade: Graham Flour, 2¾c, Rye Flour, 3¼c; Rice Flour, 7½c, Cornmeal, 2¾@3c, extra cream do., 3½c Oatmeal, 3¾c, Oat Groats, 4½c; Hominy, 4@4¼c, Buckwheat Flour, 4c, Cracked Wheat, 3½c; Farina, 4½c; Whole Wheat Flour, 3c, Rolled Oats, 4½c; Pearl Barley, 4¼c; Split Peas, 4¾c; Green do, 5½c per lb.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.
BRAN—$14@14.50 per ton.
MIDDLINGS—$17@18 per ton for lower grades, and $18.50@19.50 per ton for the best.
FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled Barley, $16@16.50, Oilcake Meal at the mill, $20 per ton; Jobbing, $21, Cottonseed Oilcake, $21 per ton.
HAY—Is weak at the old prices. Wheat, $8@11.50 per ton; Oat, $8@9; Wheat and Oat, $8@11, Barley, $7@9, Alfalfa, $7@9, Clover, $7@8.50; Compressed, $7@10.50. Stock, $6@7 per ton.

STRAW—35@55c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.
BEANS—Bayos, $1@1.10 per ctl; Small Whites, $1.12½@1.50, Peas, $1.10@1.40 per ctl. Large Whites, $1@1.15 per ctl; Pink, 90c@1.10, Reds, $1.25, Blackeye, nominal; Red Kidney, $1.75. Limas, $2.45@2.60; Butters, $1.60@1.70.
SEEDS—Brown Mustard is quotable at $1.50@2.25 per ctl; Trieste, $2@2.50; Yellow Mustard, $1.40@1.50, Flax, $1.70@1.80; Canary, 2¾ per lb, Alfalfa, 7½@9½c per lb; Rape, 2½c per lb; Hemp, 3½c per lb.
DRIED PEAS—$1.25@1.40 per ctl for Niles and $1.25@1.45 for green.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.
POTATOES—New are lower, but old rule firm. New Potatoes, 75c@$1. River Burbanks, 25@35c per sack, Oregon Burbanks, 35@70c per ctl. Oregon Garnet Chiles, 70@85c, Early Rose, 30@40c, Petalumas and Tomales, 40@50c per sack, Humboldt Burbanks, 50@65c per ctl.
ONIONS—The few good onions here are held at $2 per ctl, and some have sold even higher.
VEGETABLES—Arrivals were 656 boxes Asparagus and 329 boxes Rhubarb and 517 sacks Peas.
There was not much change yesterday. There is a demand for Marrowfat Squash, but there is none here.
Egg Plant, 12½c per lb. Summer Squash, —. Mexican Tomatoes, $1.50@2.50 per box, Cucumbers, 50c@$1 per doz, Asparagus $1.25@2.25 per box for ordinary and $2 50 for extra, Rhubarb, 35@75c, Dried Peppers, 10@12½c, Green Peppers, 12½c, Green Peas, 2@2½c per lb; String Beans, 8@10c; Dried Okra, 12½c, Cabbage, 40c per ctl, Garlic, 5@6c per lb; Marrowfat Squash, — per ton.

POULTRY AND GAME.
POULTRY—Monday is always an off day, and there was nothing doing. Live Turkeys are quotable at 15@16c per lb for Gobblers, 15@16c per lb for Hens; Dressed Turkeys, 17c per lb, Geese, per pair, $1.50@2, Ducks, $4.50@6 per doz for old and $5@9 for young; Hens, $4@4.50, Roosters, young, $8@9; do, old, $4 25@5, Fryers, $6 50@7; Broilers, $5 50@6 for large, and $3 50@4 50 for small; Pigeons, $1.50@1.75 for young, and $1.50@1.75 for old.
GAME—Hare, 75c@$1 per dozen; Rabbits, $1 25 for Cottontails and $1 per doz for small.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.
BUTTER—Quotations were a fraction weaker again yesterday, and the market was well stocked.
Creamery—Fancy, 14c; seconds, 13@13½c per lb.
Dairy—Fancy, 12½c@13c per lb; good to choice, 12c; lower grades, 11@11½c.
Eastern—Nominal.
CHEESE—Prices are rapidly declining and supplies are rapidly increasing. Fancy Mild, new, 9c, common to good, 7@8½c; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 9@10c; Western, 10@11c; Eastern, 12@14c.
EGGS—The market was quite firm yesterday at a further advance. Oregon Eggs sold at 12c. Store Eggs, 11½@12½c; Ranch Eggs, 12½@13½c, Duck Eggs, 15c per doz.
DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.
Reports from several prominent Cherry districts say that the crop will be small, owing to the recent frosts.
APPLES—$1 50@2 per box for good to choice; $1@1.25 for common to fair, and $2.25@2.50 for fancy.
BERRIES — Receipts of Strawberries were 107 chests, selling at $7@10 per chest for Longworths and $3@6 for large berries.
CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges are weaker, 16 cars having come in quoted at $1.25@1.50 for Seedlings, $2.25@3.50 for Navels, and $2@3 for Malta Bloods; Lemons, 75c@$1.50 for common and $2@2 50 for good to choice; Mexican Limes, $5.50@6, California Limes, $1; Bananas, $1@2 per bunch; Pineapples are nominal, a few in bad condition have been received.

PROVISIONS.
No change in any description.
CURED MEATS—Bacon, 6c per lb for heavy, 7c per lb for light medium; 9c per lb for light, 10c for extra light and 12c per lb for sugar cured; Eastern Sugar Cured Hams, 11½c; California Hams, 10c per lb; Mess Beef, $8 per bbl; extra mess do, $8.50; family do, $10; extra prime Pork, $9 per bbl; extra clear, $14 per bbl; mess, $13 per bbl; Smoked Beef, 10c per lb.
LARD—Eastern tierces is quoted at 6¼c per lb for compound and 6¾c for pure; pails, 7½c; California tierces, 6c for compound and 6½c for pure, half bbls, 7¼c; 10-lb tins, 8c; do, 5-lb, 8¼c per lb.
COTTOLENE—6¾c in tierces and 7¾c per lb in 10-lb tins.
GENERAL MERCHANDISE.
BAGS—Calcutta Grain Bags, June-July delivery, $4.25, San Quentin, $4 20; Wool Bags, 24@26c.
COAL—Wellington, $8 per ton, New Wellington, $8 per ton; Southfield Wellington, $7.50 per ton; Seattle, $5@5.50; Bryant, $5.50; Coos Bay, $4.50; Wallsend, $6 50, Scotch, $7 50, Brymbo, $7.50; Cumberland, $13.50 in bulk and $15 in sks; Pennsylvania Anthracite Egg, $13; Welsh Anthracite Egg —; Cannel, $8, Rock Springs, Castle Gate and Pleasant Valley, $7.50; Coke, $10 50 in bulk and $12.50 per ton in sacks.
SUGAR—The Western Sugar Refinery Company quotes terms net cash: Cube, Crushed, Powdered and Fine Crushed, all 6⅜c; Dry Granulated, 5¾c; Confectioners' A, 5⅝c; Magnolia A, 5⅛c; Extra C, 5c; Golden C, 4¾c; half barrels, ¼c more than barrels, and boxes ½c more.
SYRUP — Golden, in bbls, 15c; Black Strap, 10c per gal.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.
Wholesale rates for dressed stock from the slaughterers are as follows:
BEEF—First quality, 5½c; second quality, 4½@5c, third do, 3½@4c per lb.
VEAL—Large, 5@6c, small, 6@7c per lb.
Mutton—Wethers, 6c; Ewes, 5½c per lb.
LAMB—Spring Lamb, 7c per lb.
PORK—Live Hogs, 3¾@3¾c per lb for large and 3½@4c for small; dressed do, 5½@6¼c per lb.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

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MONDAY, April 13.
U S stmr Thetis, Knox, 5 days from San Diego.
Nic stmr Costa Rica, McIntyre, 92 hours from Departure Bay; 2350 tons coal, to R. Dunsmuir & Sons.
Stmr Washtenaw, Crossup, 14 days 3½ hours from Panama; ballast, to P. M. S. S. Co.
Stmr Rival, Johnson, 15 hours from Fort Bragg; lumber, to Samuel Blair.
Stmr Crescent City, Allen, 35 hours from Crescent City; pass and mdse, to Hobbs, Wall & Co.
Stmr Noyo, Levinson, 14 hours from Fort Bragg, pass and mdse, to J. S. Kimball.
Stmr Corona, Hall, 64 hours from San Diego and way ports; pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.
Stmr Albion, Lundquist, 60 hours from Carpenteria; 667 bbls asphaltum, to J. O. Jackson.
Stmr National City, Andresen, 60 hours from San Diego, pass and mdse, to C. A. Hooper & Co.
Schr Bender Bros, Thompson, 24 hours from Mendocino, 95 M ft lumber, to Mendocino Lumber Co.

CLEARED
MONDAY, April 13.
Stmr St. Paul, Leland, San Pedro; Goodall, Perkins & Co.
Stmr Empire, Anderson, Astoria; N. P. S. S. Co.
Stmr Umatilla, Hunter, Victoria and Port Townsend; Goodall, Perkins & Co.
Ship Louisiana, Halerow, Bristol Bay, Alaska Packers' Association.
Bark Harry Morse, Lane, Bristol Bay, Alaska Packers' Association.
Bktn Arago, Remmers, Vladivostock, Hawley Bros. Hardware Co.
Schr Prosper, Schroeder, Shin Point; Alaska Packers' Association.
Schr Emma and Louise, Nelsen; Cooks Inlet; James J. Wakefield.

SAILED.
MONDAY, April 13.
Stmr State of California, Ackley, Astoria.
Stmr St. Paul, Leland, San Pedro.
Stmr Bonita, Smith, Port Harford, etc.
Stmr Empire, Anderson, Astoria.
Bktn Arago, Remmers, Vladivostock.

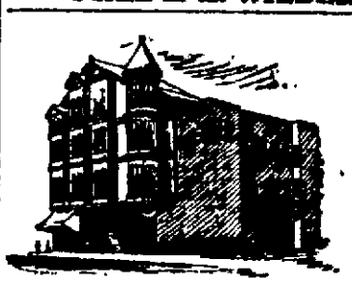
TELEGRAPHIC.
POINT LOBOS, April 13—10 P. M.—Weather thick, wind S, velocity 12 miles.

MOVEMENTS OF TRANS-ATLANTIC STEAMERS.
NEW YORK—Arrived Apr 13—Stmr Amsterdam, from Rotterdam; stmr Saale, from Bremen and Southampton.
COPENHAGEN—Arrived out Apr 13—Stmr Island.
HAMBURG—Sailed Apr 13—Stmr Palatia, for New York.
ANTWERP—Sailed Apr 13—Stmr Westernland, for New York.
GIBRALTAR—Passed Apr 13—Stmr Fulda, from Mediterranean ports, for New York.
ISLE OF WIGHT—Passed Apr 13—Stmr Aachen, from Bremen, for New York.

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Meroso's—"Michael Strogoff"
Tivoli—"Blue Beard"
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Alcazar—"Cad, the Tomboy."

PICNICS.

April 19—County Litrum Social Club

TUESDAY.....APRIL 14, 1896.

Li Hung Chang has placed some of his financial anchors to the windward The viceroy has placed a considerable part of his vast fortune in Europe. When his peacock feather and his yellow jacket is taken away the next time, it will be comfortable for the old statesman who blundered in the war with Japan to fall back on twenty or thirty millions snugly placed abroad.

The school census recently taken in Chicago is the basis for an estimate of the population made by the Record.

"The census of 1894 showed a total population of 1,567,727. Taking the percentage of increase for one of the fairly representative wards of the city and applying it to the whole population an estimate based on the present census, as far as it has been completed, would show a total of about 1,715,000 But it is the testimony of those in charge of the work that this is an underestimate, and there is every likelihood that in the final count Chicago will have proof that it has 1,750,000 inhabitants."

Judge Horton of Chicago recently scored a man to some purpose who had been summoned for jury duty. The man gave as a reason for his disqualification that he was not a citizen of the United States

"How long have you been here" inquired Judge Horton.

"Twenty years," answered the man.

"What did you come here for?"

The foreigner failed to respond.

"You are excused," resumed the court. "If I had my way about it you would not remain in this country twenty minutes. Been here twenty years and not naturalized"

The New York Journal of Commerce reports the total loss by fires for the last month in the United States and Canada at $14,839,600, against $14,239,300 in 1895 and $9,147,100 in 1894. The total for February was $9,730,100, against $12,360,200 in 1895, and $11,207,600 in 1894. The aggregate for three months ended with March was as follows.

1894	$31 013,100
1895	38,495,100
1896	37 609 700

During March there were 253 fires involving a loss of $10,000 or more, the largest conflagration having been in Minneapolis, where an $800,000 grain elevator was burned

This joke come from Philadelphia, and is supposed to be the only one that has come from that source in many years. It is in the Record.

A school ma'm there took an ordinary globe, showing China opposite the United States, and, pointing to the portion containing the United States, asked her class where she would come out if she were to start from Philadelphia and go straight through the earth. At first there was no answer, but finally a grimy hand was held up. "Well, David," she asked, "where would I come out if I should go straight through the earth from here?" The silence was thickening every moment, until finally came the response, "Please, Miss Maud, you would come out of the hole" And then the class in geography was dismissed.

Now they want a bridge across the Detroit river from that city to Canada. A bill is before Congress to authorize the construction. The Inter-Ocean makes the case for the petitioners.

"Nor do we apprehend any obstruction to lake commerce from the construction of such a bridge as is contemplated. Its spans will be 1,100 feet in width, of which 600 are on the United States side. Nearly all the up-stream commerce now hugs the Canadian shore and nearly all of the down-stream freight keeps on the United States side. These conditions are not likely to be changed by any bridge building. The altitude of the proposed bridge is 140 feet in the clear. It is doubtful if the masts of any vessel now afloat on the lakes will come within twenty feet of this, and it is to be kept in mind that year by year high-masted sailing vessels yield more to the steamship."

What Follows the Driebund.

It was a foregone conclusion some months ago, that Italy would enter the Driebund for another six years. The complaint formerly made is not heard now; that the burden was too great for Italy, and that no substantial benefit was derived from the compact. Before that first compact had expired by limitation, Italy was engaged in a war with King Menelek, and had suffered a terrible defeat. The war is still on. Suppose there should be other reverses, Italy would have the right to call on Germany and Austria for help. England has already explained that one purpose of the Nile expedition was to help Italy

Here there are three powerful nations committed to the side of Italy in her contest with Abyssinia. These nations could not only prosecute the war to a successful termination, but they could prescribe terms of peace without prolonging the contest, which Menelek would be forced to accept. The backing of Italy insures an ultimate victory. It is more than probable that the three nations sustain now such a relation to England that they will stand by her in the effort to recover the Soudan.

Creation of Wealth by Irrigation.

Many are watching with great interest for the decision of the Federal Supreme Court touching the validity of what is known as the Wright Irrigation Law Whatever may have been the imperfections of the law, there is no doubt that it would have done great things for California. If the law fails, another will probably be enacted at the next session of the Legislature Irrigation has already turned the most arid parts of the State into a garden One of the most satisfactory sources of supply in Southern California has been and still is the artesian wells The whole citrus industry depends on irrigation. No man plants an orange grove until he knows where he is to get a supply of water

A writer in the Los Angeles Herald brings out some interesting facts which if not new, he manages to place in a striking light Thus, in 1870, there were less than 100 white people living on the area now comprised in Riverside county, and the valuation was less than $100 000 There was not a fence nor a tree on the barren plain and much of the land was assessed at 75 cents an acre On that once desoluate plain there is now a city of 8000 inhabitants, and around it there are 1,000 acres of orange groves, which make it the richest city, per capita in the Union The property in that county is now assessed at $13,500 000

'Less than fifteen years ago there were but two towns in the San Gabriel valley these were San Gabriel, a small settlement about the mission, and El Monte. The rest of the valley was given over to great herds of stock, which roamed about among the brush cropping the short grass A few years later there was a settlement called Llave del Valle, the key of the valley,' which name was changed in 1874 to Pasadena, an Algonquin word meaning the "crown of the valley.' In 1880 Pasadena had a population consisting of 120 families. It is now a growing city of 10,000 people. Pasadena is a city of homes, has many fine residences and beautiful gardens and shaded streets The San Gabriel valley has now a continuous string of towns and villages throughout its entire length. In 1886 the spot upon which the beautiful city of Redlands now stands was uninhabited and given over to brush and cactus Redlands now has a population of 5000, and contains many fine residences and business blocks, with miles of graded streets. Its growth has been a most extraordinary example of the results of irrigation In 1893 there was shipped from there 127,000 boxes of the finest oranges, and when the groves now planted come into full bearing, the crop will amount to nearly two million boxes'

The present town of San Diego was started in 1867 when one bought 900 acres now in the center of the city, for 27 cents an acre. The former San Diego is now known as old town. The city has now a population exceeding 16,000. Santa Ana the beautiful little city of Orange county, has nearly doubled its population in four years Pomona had only a population of 130 in 1880, now the population can hardly be less than 5000. Irrigation is the basis of prosperity for more than twenty towns in California, and there are twenty more in prospect. There are 307 postoffice towns in Southern California where the few hundred inhabitants will in a few years become many thousands Happily the failure of the Wright Law (if it does fail) will not affect these towns, because the system there is quite different from that contemplated by this law

For State Division.

It is a great pity that the Supervisors of San Diego county cannot find any better employment at present than that of trying to start a foolish agitation for State division. Heretofore this movement has usually been represented by about half a dozen men in Los Angeles who have an itching for office. There is no law authorizing any movement to be made for a division of the State, nor is there likely to be one in existence during the lifetime of any one of the small company of precious fools in San Diego who are addressing their screeds to Boards of Supervisors in other counties.

California is one and indivisible It is on its way to rank among the first States in the Union. Southern California has no grievance to be redressed. Nearly every concession has been made that has ever been demanded. Money has been granted for public buildings and other important improvements. In short, Southern California has been the favored section of the State. Division can mean nothing but sectional mischief

The First Spring Festival.

Santa Barbara, the pioneer city in establishing a flower festival in California, fitly leads off with the first this year. It is always a great occasion in that pretty town, of which Edward Everett Hale recently said that the climate was so good that he wondered that anybody wanted to live in Boston. There will be something like twenty towns and cities, as we count them, that will this spring hold flower festivals in this State.

The influence of these is good in many ways. They create a taste for rural life. It finds its best expression in making beautiful homes. They create a stronger local pride for the particular town or city where such festivals are held. This pride stimulates local improvements. It would be impossible to hold a successful rose festival in an untidy town where there were only mud streets and unsightly rookeries. The festival goes with everything that makes for order and beauty.

The Raleigh News in a recent review of the tobacco industry of North Carolina stated that last year the planters cultivated, cured, and sold 82,000,000 pounds of tobacco.

"In the market this great mass of weed brought about $7,000,000, less than 9 cents a pound for the farmer, but a fair profit for his labor and expense in planting the crop. The manufacturers of the State used nearly half of the product, converting it into smoking and plug tobacco, cigarettes, cigars, etc. The value of their product was also about $7,000,000, so that the industry yielded to North Carolina the neat sum of $14,000,000 in 1895."

The quadrennial conference of the Methodist Church meets in Cleveland in May. Two or three important questions will come up for settlement. One is the admission of women as lay delegates: another is the time limit of the itinerancy, and a third is the temperance question. In the question of women as lay delegates the two parties are pretty evenly divided, but the women are determined to gain this privilege, and their knock at the door of the conference each year is louder than before.

Herr Ahlwardt, the German Jew baiter, has gone from bad to worse since he arrived in this country. He has always been regarded with contempt. In Hoboken he consorted with tough characters and was finally attacked by a mob, struck with a brick-bat and finally carried off by the police as a noisy, troublesome fellow

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

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On April 14th of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Tiberius, Valerian, Maximus, Carpus, Benezet, Anthony, John, Lidwina.

BIRTHS.

1738—William Henry, Duke of Portland.
1754—Dr George Gregory.

DEATHS

1577—Duke of Bothwell, husband of Mary, Queen of Scots
1685—Thomas Otway, poet.
1764—Mme. Pompadour, mistress of Louis XV of France.
1880—Rev. Samuel Osgood, D. D., New York
1883—Dr William Farr, England
1887—Eugene A. Oudine, French sculptor.
1888—Joseph Allemany, Archbishop of San Francisco
1889—Simeon B Chittenden, ex-Member Congress, Brooklyn.
1890—Matthew Harris, M. P., Ireland.
1891—G H Mackenzie, chess player, New York.
1894—Senator Z. B. Vance, ex-Governor North Carolina.
1894—General Henry W Slocum, Brooklyn
1895—Professor James Dwight Dana, of Yale College.
1895—Jas. W. Scott, editor Chicago Times-Herald.

OTHER EVENTS

1471—Richard Nevill, Earl of Warwick (the King-maker), killed.
1672—Sweden joined coalition against the Dutch
1701—Philip V entered Madrid as King of Spain.
1775—Abolition Society formed in Philadelphia, Benjamin Franklin, president.
1780—Battle of Monk's Corner, S. C.
1796—Battle of Millisimo, Italy.
1813—Embargo Act repealed.
1865—Attempted assassination of Wm. H. Seward, Secretary of State.
1865—President Abraham Lincoln assassinated.
1808—Commencement of Spanish revolution in Barcelona
1879—Attempted assassination of Emperor Alexander II of Russia.
1888—Tornado three miles wide swept Arkansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Illinois. Great damage.
1885—Huler's piano factory burned in New York nine firemen killed
1886—Frightful cyclone in Minnesota.
1886—Norwegian bark Jorsalfarer burned at sea.
1887—Escape of all prisoners in Lamar (Mo) jail.
1891—Riot between soldiers and police in Rudsing, Posen.
1891—Secretary Blaine replied to Italian Premier relative to New Orleans lynching
1892—Terrific hailstorm at Bennettsville, S C.
1892—Colored University at Atlanta, Ga, burned, loss, $100,000.
1893—Toledo, Ohio, sued Standard Oil Company for $1,000,000.
1893—Duke of Veragua received with public honor in New York.
1894—Miss Pollard granted $15,000 damages against Breckinridge.
1894—Wreck of steamer Los Angeles in Pacific Ocean, loss, $550,000.
1894—Fire destroyed portion of Santa Cruz, Cal loss, $750,000
1895—Terms of peace between China and Japan finally arranged.
1895—Blanche Lamont's body found in church in San Francisco.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

WEDNESDAY, April 15.

BREAKFAST.

Fruit.
Corn Meal Mush. Sugar and Cream.
Bacon Poached Eggs
Muffins. Coffee.

LUNCH.

Ragout of Beef's Heart
Baked Potatoes.
Swiss Pancakes. Tea.

DINNER.

Crecy Soup.
Boiled Leg of Mutton. Caper Sauce.
Boiled Rice Stewed Tomatoes.
Celery Mayonnaise
Wafers. La Delicatesse Cheese.
Royal Bavarian Cream.
Coffee.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The chief new woman in Athens is Miss Tricoupis, an elderly lady of small stature, who dresses very quietly and speaks five languages well. Everybody who can goes to her salon, and she wields a great influence in society and politics. It is considered the correct thing in Athens for a woman to know English and French as well as Modern Greek.

At a recent meeting of the Omar Khayyam Club in London a letter from Swinburne was read detailing his earliest acquaintance with the poet's works as translated by Fitzgerald. The first edition of the translation was unsalable at a shilling a copy, and Swinburne, with his friend Rossetti, bought six copies at a penny apiece. On returning to the bookstall the next day they found that they had boomed the price to twopence. The edition is now very valuable.

When President Faure stopped at Arles on his recent tour and said he would inspect the hospital there, the authorities were in a fix, as there happened to be no patients. They sent out a call for volunteers, however, and when the President appeared he found all the beds occupied by convalescents.

Speaker Reed was seated in the corner of a car on his way to the capitol in Washington recently, when, as the car reached the top of the hill, another passenger cried out lustily to have the car stopped. The conductor gazed at the excited passenger calmly and said: "I am obliged to stop here so that the gentleman in the corner can open the House of Representatives."

In the newly published autobiographical "Confidences" of the late Frederick Locker-Lampson, the poet says his uncle used to say that "You could not widen the mouth of a Locker without injury to his ears." One day at Malta, this frank old gentleman asked a stranger who had just landed to take wine with him, and expressed his obligation for the favor, saying: "Yesterday, sir, I was the ugliest man in all Malta!"

Mrs. Anthony Crisp, an old colored woman in Fort Scott, Kansas, on whose premises in that city pure coal oil was discovered, has begun to develop the find in her own peculir way. The oil was found in a deserted pit from which coal had been taken, and the old lady skims it off of a pool of water at the bottom of the pit and strains it through flannel cloth. She gets about five gallons a day in this way, which she sells for fifteen cents per gallon She thinks she is becoming a serious competitor to the Standard Oil Company. The source of the flow of oil is a mystery, as is also its exceptionally pure quality.

In the literary section of the Paris exhibition of 1900 there will in all probability be seen the inkstands used in completing four great French masterpieces—the most notable works of Lamartine, George Sands, Victor Hugo and Dumas the elder. The four inkstands were given to Mme Hugo, to be disposed of at a charity sale, and were bought back by Victor Hugo.

The French government has sent the cross of the Legion of Honor to the mother superior at the naval hospital of Toulon, Augusta Francoise Marie Madeline Paillot. The distinction is conferred for services rendered during the cholera visitations of 1865, 1884, and 1885. Mme. Paillot has been thirty-five years in the naval hospital

South Africa has given a name to the Duke of Abercorn's little granddaughter, who has been christened Rhodesia, the Duke being chairman of Mr. Rhodes' Chartered Company. This, says the New York Sun, opens up the prospect of names like Mashona, Bechuana, Elagoa, Matabele, and Mpwapwa, for the new generation of English girls

Count von Caprivi, ex-Chancellor of the German Empire, who has been living quietly at the home of his niece, on a large estate in Northern Prussia, is at work on his memoirs. It is announced that they will soon be in the hands of a Berlin printer. It is supposed that they will contain some interesting revelations.

Two Weddings.

Eighty-six years ago a stocky, illiterate boy from the farm was laboriously adding one dollar to another by ferrying passengers to and from across the upper bay of New York. He continued to acquire dollars in various ways during many years, until he had accumulated a great many of them—a hundred millions of them, according to popular report. Then he died.

A few months ago a great-granddaughter of his, one of the richest of American heiresses, was married in New York City to a titled young Englishman, better off in the matter of rank than in the matter of ready cash. Everybody remembers the wedding. The chinking of the ancestral dollars was louder than the marriage bells, it was distinctly audible throughout both hemispheres No expense was spared, no circumstance of pomp or of publicity was omitted. Well-dressed New Yorkers all but trampled upon one another in their eagerness to catch a glimpse of the nuptials of the Title and the Millions For days before hand and for days afterward the pages of a portion of the metropolitan press fairly reeked with snobbery

Day before yesterday another wedding occurred in the same city An ex-President of the United States, a soldier and statesman whose name is held in deserved honor at home and abroad, married the woman of his choice There was no avoidable publicity on this occasion, and no pomp at all. A few old and near friends met at the appointed hour in the quiet church, and witnessed the simple ceremony Then they went away as quietly as they had assembled.

We have no doubt that the contrast between these two weddings has forced itself upon the attention of a great many more Americans than have said anything about it even in their own homes, and has suggested to them interesting and not unsalutary thoughts —Hartford Courant.

Good and Bad Luncheons.

"I always ask my feminine patients," said a well known physician the other day, "what they are in the habit of eating for luncheon ,and I am convinced that half the ills the average middle-class woman is heir to are the result of idiotic noonday meals"

According to the doctor the favorite mid-day menu of the woman who lunches at home is tea, made whenever the cook has seen fit to make it, and steeped until it is a powerful infusion of tannic acid, some bread, cold meat from the dinner of the preceding day, and cake. This bill of fare is a favorite one, because it offers very little interruption to the kitchen work. The cook approves of it for her mistress and that is enough

According to the same authority, luncheon should be carefully selected and prepared. If tea is used, the mistress should know that it is perfectly fresh and made of freshly boiled water. At least one hot dish should form part of the menu. It should not be a heavy one, but it should be nourishing. Omelets, poached eggs, hashed meats on toast, croquettes or the like should be served. A green salad or relish should be on the table, and fruit, either cooked or raw, should be eaten Toast is more palatable than cold bread and should therefore be used. Cake is an unnecessary luxury, a sufficient amount of sugar being taken in the healthier form of fruit. Such a noonday diet as this is appetizing, nourishing and digestible—a trinity of virtues absolutely lacking in the ordinary household luncheon menu.

SCIENCE BREVITIES.

According to a calculation of the horse power of a cannon in La Nature, an Italian cannon of 100 tons, with a charge of 550 pounds of powder and a shot weighing about 2000 pounds, will give an initial velocity of 523 meters per second; the length of time during which the powder acts is less than one-hundredth of a second, from which it follows that the horse power developed is about 17,000,000. The writer adds that after about 100 shots the cannon is put out of service, and its total active life is therefore only one second! In large modern cannon the horse power runs as high as 24,000,000. "If the writer had carried out these calculations still further," says the Engineering and Mining Journal, "he would have found that, after all, this 24,000,000 horse power does not represent a large amount of energy, as it would be just sufficient to run 31 incandescent lamps for only one day."

"Another excellent journal, this time a French one," says the American Naturalist, "has been led astray by attaching too much importance to the romances of the American newspaper reporter. We refer to the story published some months ago by a San Francisco journal that a physician of that city had succeeded in grafting some snakes together by their tails. The fictitious character of the narrative is demonstrated by the fact that the said physician selected snakes in which the vertebral column does not extend to the end of the tail. If the editor of the journal had referred the question to the professors of the museums of Paris, he would have learned that snakes of this kind exist only in the imagination of the author of the canard."

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The guard ordinance requiring the street railroad companies in Oakland to put life protecting fenders on their cars, does not seem to trouble the companies much, as but few have complied with the ordinance. The chief of police, however, will see that the law is obeyed and has taken steps to compell them to do so.—Pleasanton Times.

During the past week much has been done throughout the county to make the Fabiola fete in Oakland on May 1, a success, and the promise of floats from numerous towns of the interior have been received by the committee. The towns of Mission San Jose, Haywards and Livermore will each have a float Surely Pleasanton should be heard from —Pleasanton Times.

Oakland had better be careful or Alameda will, in a few years, surpass it in population, as it is at the present time surpassing it in nearly everything else. Why, just think of a City Hall that is but a barn as compared with Alameda's fine brick structure. And yet Alameda has only about a fourth as many inhabitants as Oakland. Again, Alameda has been selected as the finishing point for the relay race, which takes place tomorrow, instead of our sister city across the estuary. And the reason for this is patent to every one—Alameda's streets surpass those of Oakland. Come neighbor, awake from your slumber, and show some signs of life.—Alameda Encinal.

The members of Lyon Post, Oakland, of the Grand Army of the Republic, do not take kindly to the sentence imposed upon the Post and will appeal to have the judgment of ninety days' suspension set aside To an outsider it looks as if the punishment visited upon the veterans is unnecessarily severe, and we hope they will be successful in their appeal.—Alameda Encinal.

Eva Evans, the actress, daughter of Chris Evans, the bandit, and leading lady in the Chris Evans show, is suing her husband for a divorce.—Santa Cruz Sentinel.

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NO ERRORS ALLOWED.

Judge Ogden Denies Motions on the Part of Ben Hill.

Sentence to Be Given Tomorrow and an Appeal Will Be Taken.

Tom M. Bradley made a long plea yesterday afternoon before Judge Ogden for the purpose of getting a new trial for his client, Benj. L. Hill, the wife murderer, on the ground that Judge Ogden had erred in many ways, especially in his instructions to the jury. But the plea was without success.

As a consequence Hill will be sentenced tomorrow.

"The only part of the instructions asked for by the defendant," said the Judge, in closing the matter "which was not given to the jury in substance or effect, was the last instruction which was in effect that it would require twelve of their number to find a verdict and that one juror was not bound to give up his opinion in deference to that of another. The Court was not so much opposed to that as a question of law as to the manner in which it was expressed. The Supreme Court has said that a trial court is not bound to give the same statement in half a dozen different expressions. I think the instructions given by the court of our own motion cover all the points. The only other question was as to making evidence for oneself. The rule is that persons accused can not make evidence for themselves. The letter from the defendant to his wife certainly cuts no figure in the case. It threw no light on the case, and no ruling excluding the statement of the wife to the husband or the husband to the wife regarding that letter could be error. There was no error in the case prejudicial to the defendant. If there was error, it was against the prosecution, and not against the defendant. The motion for a new trial is denied."

Mr. Bradley said he would take an exception. He then said he would ask a new trial on the ground that the complaint was insufficient to constitute a public offense. He asserted that he could raise that question at any time.

Judge Ogden read the complaint and denied the motion and Mr. Bradley took another exception.

"I presume, Mr. Bradley," said Judge Ogden, "that there will be an appeal in this case?"

Mr. Bradley replied in the affirmative.

"If so," continued the Judge, "it would be inadvisable to fix a date of sentence. If you are willing to postpone the passing of sentence it will be passed till Wednesday next at 9:30 A. M. The Supreme Court indicates that where sentence of death must be pronounced, the court should defer the fixing of the date till after the appeal has been decided. Pass the case till next Wednesday at 9:30 a. m."

Hill was then taken back to jail.

Mother's Mush is a breakfast delight.

A Hospital Corps.

A Hospital Corps will be organized next Tuesday evening at the meeting of the Fifth Infantry Regiment in Armory Hall. Surgeon Major Dunn is taking an active interest in promoting the department.

Professor Washington Wilson of the Chico Normal School will lecture before the Oakland teachers at the High School Thursday afternoon.

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COMMITTEES ARE ANNOUNCED.

Superintendent Miller Makes a Plea for Better Streets.

HEALTH TOPICS HANDLED.

An Ordinance Passed to Make All Street Cars Slow Up.

Despite the rain the Council turned out in full force last evening. Most of the members came early and gathered around the fire in the City Clerk's office, Manuel, Towle, Buckland and Street Superintendent Miller were the first on the scene and amused themselves by discussing wearing apparel in general, and in particular a new suit which Manuel had just purchased at a fire sale for $7.50, he said, he brushed out the creases and stood up to show how it fitted and his listeners admiringly vowed to purchase at fire sales whenever opportunity offered in the future. Then through natural channels the discourse drifted to the length of limbs. Miller, Towle and Manuel discussed heartily on the topic but the doctor seemed to feel that he was out of it and whn President Mott came in left his companions to talk with some one his own size. From that on the conversation became general, shortly after 8 o'clock all the members had arrived and they went into the Council chamber. Promptly at ten minutes after 8 the gavel fell and the meeting was in order.

The first thing on the programme was the announcement of the new committees. President Mott had worked on the matter all of the week and had his appointment ready. He handed the names to the Clerk who read them as follows:

TE COMMITTEES.

Ordinance and Judiciary—Manuel, Buckland, Brosnahan, Dow, Towle.

Auditing and Finance—Towle, Heitmann, Marshall, Watkinson, Manuel.

Street—Marshall, Capell, Brosnahan, Buckland, Bassett.

Printing—Capell, Watkinson, Buckland, Heitmann, Dow.

Municipal License—Buckland, Dow, Watkinson, Marshall, Bassett.

Street Lighting—Brosnahan, Capell, Marshall, Manuel, Bassett.

Wharves and Water Front—Dow, Brosnahan, Dow, Towle, Heitmann, Manuel.

Public Improvements — Watkinson, Brosnahan, Dow, Bassett, Marshall.

Fire and Water—Heitmann, Capell, Manuel, Watkinson, Towle.

Street Railroads—Bassett, Buckland, Heitmann, Capell, Towle.

Then came the regular business of the evening and it came fast. Most of the meetings of late have been interrupted by the hearing of protests, but last night nothing stopped the proceedings and routine work was transacted in a hurry.

The budget of communications was exceptionally large, owing to the number of protests against the resolutions ordering street work covering one foot less than a block.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications of all sorts were disposed of:

From F. Chappellet et al, against sewering Grove street from Knox street to Telegraph avenue and Bay Place. Filed.

From the Alameda Land Company, et al, against re-macadamizing East Fourteenth street. Street Committee.

From G. M. Stolp et al, against re-macadamizing Lake street. Street Committee.

From T. Frases et al, against remacadamizing East Fourteenth street from East Thirteenth to East Twenty-second street. Street Committee.

From James A. Johnson et al, against remacadamizing East Fourteenth street. Street Committee.

From A. Bruenn et al, against opening Fourteenth street from Market to Myrtle streets. Set for hearing May 4th.

From H. Rathjen et al, against remacadamizing Thirteenth avenue from East Eighteenth to East Nineteenth street. Street Committee.

From A. J. Davis et al against remacadimizing East Fifteenth street from Tenth to Eleventh avenues. Street Committee.

From Frank Laidlaw to remove a obstruction from Ettie and Twenty-eighth street. Filed.

From Susan A. Tubbs, against remacadamizing East Fourteenth from Fourth to Fifth avenue. Street Committee.

From P. Heverin, to be released from his contract for sewering Twenty-first avenue from East Twenty-seventh to East Thirtieth street. Filed.

From E. A. Kluegel, against opening Fourteenth street. Set for hearing May 4th.

From W. O. De Fremery et al, to open a street through Cemetery Creek. Street Committee.

From L. Dulcich, to grade East Fourteenth street and Thirteenth avenue. Street Committee.

From A. Fonte, to remove a tree on East Twelfth street. Street Committee.

From C. F. MacDermott et al. for a cement sidewalk on Perry street. Street Committee.

From the Exempt Firemen for an enine house and $20 a month. Auditing and Finance Committee.

From Kahn Bros. et al., to accept Twelfth street from Broadway to Washington street. Street Committee.

From L. Crocker et al., for a sewer in Second street from Alice to Jackson streets. Street Committee.

From W. S. Dunlevy, for an extension of time on Peralta avenue work. Street Committee.

From the Oakland Consolidated Street Railway, submitting plans of the guard proposed to be used. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

From N. L. Edwards, to erect a corrugated iron building on Telegraph avenue. Street Committee.

From W. Walsh et al., for a fire hydrant at Eighteenth and Peralta streets. Fire and Water Committee.

From W. S. Dunlevy, for 60 days' extension of time to complete sewer on Lester avenue. Street Committee.

From the California and Nevada Meat Company, for $200 reimbursement for a horse which fell through the Eighth street bridge. City Attorney and Auditing and Finance Committee.

From the Superintendent of Streets, recommending a sidewalk on Lee street. Street Committee.

From the Police and Fire Commissioners, recommending the purchase of bedsteds for the engine houses. Finance Committee.

From the Central Avenue Railroad Company announcing that it had adopted the Clark railroad car guard. Filed.

From P. Micovich withdrawing his application for liquor license. License Committee.

From H. N. Morse et al. against regrading Watson avenue. Street Committee.

From the Williams Block Co., in regard pavements. Street Committee.

From the street superintendent in reopening Fallon street between Eleventh and Twelfth street. Street Committee.

From the chief of the fire department recommending fire hydrants at East Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets and Thirteenth avenue. Fire and Water Committee.

From Mrs McCormick et al. against re-macadamizing Thirteenth avenue, between East Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. Street Committee.

From G. W. Alburd et al. against remacadamizing Twelfth street between Kirkham and Center streets. Street Committee.

FOR BETTER STREETS.

The Street Superintendent sent a communication on the necessity of street repairing; it reads as follows:

"To the Honorable Council,
Oakland, California.

"Gentlemen:— Council Resolutie No. 22,047 requires the officers of the city to make a list of supplies in required by their respective departments for the fiscal year 1895-96. Said list to contain a complete enumeration of supplies needed without exception, and to be delivered to the City Clerk on or before April 30th.

"The needs of the city are manifold and the amount of this estimate depends upon the extent to which they are carried out. I therefore beg leave to address your Honorable Body in reference to matters pertaining to the Street Department and to make the recommendations and suggestions contained herein.

The problem of devising a way of improving our worn out streets which will be fair and just and satisfactory to the people, is one of considerable magnitude and of paramount importance to the city. Good streets certainly rank first among the essential requisites of a successful community. At present we have a bad name in this regard, and it is undoubtedly affecting the business interests of the city.

"The time has certainly come to promote an active and energetic movement towards the the rehabilitation of our streets, and particularly our main thouroughfares. I believe it is within the province of the powers of this Council under the law to require at your discretion improvement of streets by the property owners. I believe a careful study and consideration of the law will satisfy your Honorable Body that this is the law, and that it is wise and just.

"Not long since I stated in a communication to this Council that during the 11th day of January last, 1732 teams passed over the Twelfth street dam and that the property fronting upon East Twelfth street between First and Thirteenth avenues, and upon East Fourteenth street between Thirteenth and Twenty-fifth avenues was owned by about 200 persons. Analyzing the problem presented by these figures, leads to surprising results. If an average of 1500 teams each carrying two persons pass over the Twelfth street dam daily, in one year's time $1,095,000 people are made to suffer personal discomfort, besides endangering their lives and property.

"It was recently proposed to improve East Twelfth street between the Boulevard and Fallon street, and yet one property owner presented a majority protest and stopped the work. The City Council has tried repeatedly during recent years to cause the improvement of worn out streets in various parts of the city, but the proceedings are invariably stopped by a majority protest.

"Whether it be one or two hundred property owners, can it be deemed wise or just that thousands of people be compelled to repeatedly suffer intolerable physical discomfort, lose valuable time, damage their property and endanger their lives because a few property owners along a street will persist in ignoring the inevitable law of commercial progress and prosperity, for there is no question that as a general proposition, property values will increase or decrease according to the conditions of the street upon which they front.

"Can anyone doubt that the proposed improvement of our streets will result in materially enhancing the value of the abutting property?

"The figures just given prove two things: First that the property owners on certain streets should not be permitted under the law to prevent improvements thereon which are necessary and essential to the best interests of a large community ,and secondly that a few property owners should not be required to wholly reconstruct and maintain the main thoroughfares of the city. The proper maintenance of our leading highways is clearly, I think, a duty incumbent to a large extent upon the municipality. To put our streets in proper condition will require systematic effort, intelligently directed.

"We can only take the conditions as they exist today, and adopt a policy for improvements which will be as equitable as possible to all concerned. A beginning must be made at some time, and the longer it is postponed, the more difficult will it be to agree on the best policy to adopt.

"Our streets in reference to their condition are of three grades, namely, good, medium and bad. The proposition which I respectfully submit, is for the city to hereafter maintain all macadamized streets which have been properly constructed. This policy should be immediately adopted by the city and it will be found that when the ground already lost is recovered, the expense of systematically caring for the macadamized streets will be trivial. I understand this policy has been adopted in most of the cities of this State. The worn out residence streets should be reconstructed by the property owners and thereafter streets should be maintained by the city. Streets can be maintained by the city without being accepted, and this I believe is the best policy to adopt for future development of certain streets will necessitate the building of expensive pavements which will enhance the value of the abutting property and the owners thereof should bear part of the expense in the case of main thoroughfares and all the expense on business streets.

"In my judgment the first step is to provide the Street Department with material and facilities for making repairs. We should be provided at all times with the material necessary to comply promptly with the demands and expectations of the people in this regard. Our experience in securing requisitions for supplies has been most discouraging and I have no hesitancy in stating that the policy of arbitrarily withholding requisitions regardless of the necessities of the case is childishly inconsistent, and ruinous in the extreme to the best interest of the city. We were recently furnished $495 worth of rock which is now being used to good advantage upon streets in comparatively good condition, but still in need of repairs. The water companies are now repairing the bad places in the streets for which they are responsible, and the street railway companies are being required to do their share, as far as our power extends to that end.

"The next step is the reconstruction of those macadamized streets, which are completely worn out. The proceedings now under way for this work are legal proceedings, and cover work essential to the best interests of the city. To my mind there is no better course of procedure by which these improvements can be made.

"The repair of streets is made compulsory under Section Thirteen of the Street law and but three days' notice allowed for beginning work, while this block system gives wide publicity to the proposed work, invites competition, and gives more time and opportunity to the property owners to arrange for the payment of the work. The expense of the work under the special specifications prepared therefor, will be according to the amount of rock actually placed upon the street besides the necessary labor. The property affected is in the better quarters of the city, and the proposed work will impose no serious burden upon the owners thereof.

"It is not the intention to include the main thoroughfares under these proceedings. They should be paved with a clean, noiseless and durable pavement, constructed in the best possible manner, and on account of the comparatively heavy expense, it is to be hoped that the next tax levy will provide funds for assisting the property owners to build such a street. We have but three or four main thoroughfares which need attention at the present time, and if the policy can be adopted and carried out of providing money each year for this work by general taxation, in three or four years we may be justly proud of our streets.

"As stated in previous communications, main thoroughfares constitute a distinct class of streets, and this is particularly true of Oakland. The owner of property abutting thereon contribute only from three to five per cent of the wear on the pavement, and it is plain that the municipality should defray a portion of the expense of reconstruction and maintenance.

"Sufficient money to pay one-half the cost for the reconstruction of one main thoroughfare should be provided each year by general taxation until these highways are permanently surfaced with a modern pavement.

"The cost of a strictly first class asphalt or bituminous rock pavement, or one equally as good is from 22 to 24 cents per square foot, and I believe the city should pay one-half of this amount towards the re-construction of our main thoroughfares.

"Thus far too little attention has been paid to the quality of our street pavements. Whatever is done henceforth should be executed in the best possible manner. No contract should be let to prices which are plainly below the actual cost of first class work. Our official specifications should not include work of different grades, applicable to main thoroughfares or business streets for the second and third grades are necessarily of inferior character. Cheap work is invariably dear at any price.

"Taken in the order of their relative bad condition and importance, East Twelfth street from First avenue to Twenty-fifth avenue demands immediate attention. It may be desirable, however, to substitute East Fourteenth street for East Twelfth, from Thirteenth avenue easterly to the city line The main point is to provide one well built thoroughfare across that portion of the city.

"The cost of paving one street from First avenue to Twenty-fifth avenue, and of curbing the same with cement, will be aproximately $100,000, and I respectfully recommend and urge that your Honorable Body provide the sum of $50,000 in the next tax levy for the purpose of defraying one-half of the expense. The details of the proposed work can be immediately worked out when it is once ascertained that the disposition of your Honorable Body is to assist in carrying through this improvement.

"My intention is to include the item of $50,000 in the estimate about to be submitted and I respectfully recommend that an expression of your disposition toward the proposition be made by resolution at your earliest convenience, in order that the matter can be laid before the property owners for consideration.

Yours Truly,

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland.

The matter was referred to the Street Committee.

The City Treasurer's report for the month of March was filed.

SALARIES.

Watkinson's resolution to reduce the salary of the chief clerk in the Street Superintendent's office was lost by a single vote. His resolution to reduce the pay of the Deputy Superintendent

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of Streets from $125 to $100 was tabled and a resolution taking away from the office the $25 a month heretofore allowed the Deputy Superintendent for the keeping of his horse was passed.

Everybody except Dow voted to raise the salary of the young lady stenographer in the same office from $60 to $75 a month and Dow was careful to explain that he thought that she undoubtedly earned that amount yet he had promised himself to save every dollar for the city he could, so could not consistently vote aye.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to remove the scow house on the Twelfth street dam.

Directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for a sidewalk around the engine house at Market and Milton streets.

Directing the City Attorney and City Engineer to prepare an ordinance to raise the grade on Fourteenth avenue, near Nineteenth street.

Directing the Board of Public Works to order a crosswall at Sixth and Brush streets.

Awarding contract for grading, curbing and macadamizing East Nineteenth street to the East Oakland Paving Company.

Awarding the contract for grading, curbing and macadamizing Fallon street to the Piedmont Paving Co.

Awarding the contract to grade and curb East Twentieth street from Nineteenth to Twenty-first avenue to J. T. Cockran.

Giving permission to the Globe Iron Works to erect and maintain a steam engine and boiler at 619 Broadway.

Rescinding the resolution to sewer Twenty-first avenue from East Twenty-seventh to East Twenty-first streets.

Granting G. H. Collins permission to construct a five-foot sidewalk on Third street.

Granting the Memorial Day Committee the use of the Council chamber.

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to remove all obstructions from Twenty-eighth and West streets.

Rescinding a number of obsolete street resolutions.

Appropriating $499 for material to complete the work on San Pablo avenue.

Directing the Board of Public Works to repair the windmills on the Lake Shore road at a cost not to exceed $200.

Authorizing the Street Superintendent to employ a man at $4 per day to make a map for street numbering purposes.

Directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for sewering Twenty-first avenue from East Twenty-seventh to East Thirtieth street.

Directing the wharves and water front company to take charge of the transcripts on appeal in the water front cases.

Directing the Board of Public Works to remove trees on Hopkins street.

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to remove the box and piping on the Eighth street bridge.

Adopting plans for the construction of the sewer in Thirteenth avenue.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were read and disposed of as follows:

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to notify property owners on the west side of Lee street to construct a sidewalk. Tabled.

Directing the City Engineer to make surveys for opening a street through Cemetery creek. Street Committee.

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to notify the property owners on Athol avenue to construct a sidewalk. Street Committee.

Directing the City Engineer to prepare a grade ordinance for Sherman street from Twenty-third avenue to the city limits. Street Committee.

Directing the Contra Costa Water Company to remove its hydrants from the district bounded by Broadway, the western shore of the estuary and Lake Merritt and the eastern line of Oakland avenue. Fire and Water Committee.

Directing the City Engineer to do the surveying for the Eighth Street bridge repairs. Street Committee.

STREET WORK.

The following street work was ordered:

Sidewalk on Jones street from Grove street to Telegraph avenue.

Grade, curb, and macadamize Goss street from the railroad tracks to the shore line.

Sidewalk on Goss street from Willow to Wood street.

To grade and macadamize Watson avenue from Brooklyn to Newton avenues.

To grade and macadamize Winter street from Perry street to Moss avenue.

Sidewalk on Franklin street from Twentieth to Twenty-second street.

Sidewalk on Isabella street from San Pablo avenue to Twenty-second street.

Sewer on Lewis street from Hopkins street to Prospect avenue.

Sewers at Webster and Twenty-fourth streets.

Sewer in Prospect avenue from Thirteenth avenue to King street.

Street work on Thirteenth avenue between Clinton avenue and Grant street.

Sewer on King street from Hopkins street to Prospect avenue.

To grade and macadamize East Twenty-first street from Sixteenth to Twenty-first avenue.

Sewer in Wood street from Atlantic street southerly.

Sewer in Union street from Spring street to Fourteenth avenue sewer.

PROPOSED WORK.

Of intention to remacadamize Eighth street from Fallon street 299.5 feet east. Street Committee.

Of intention for sewer in Spruce street from Peralta to Prospect avenue. Street Committee.

Of intention for sewer in Clay street from First to Fourteenth street. Street Committee.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

The liquor license bonds of Clemens Martin, 1226 Broadway, and H. Kirchner, 1542 Adeline street, were approved. E. Strauss and S. Morris of 1072 Broadway and Wemmer & Franz, 412 Eighth street, were granted permission to obtain liquor licenses.

The liquor license bonds of Wamecke & Michels, 603 Broadway, and W. A. Gardner, at Fifteenth and Market streets, were sent to the License Committee.

ORDINANCES REFERRED.

The Board of Health did not approve Mott's ordinance making it obligatory on the part of the housekeepers to keep their refuse in one receptiacle and ashes in another, and it was sent back to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee with the following ordinance, which the Health Department submitted:

ORDINANCE NO. ——

An Ordinance Providing for the Separation of Ashes and Non-combustible Matter and Substances from Garbage and Liquid Refuse.

"Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland as follows:

"Section 1. Any person, firm or corporation that may now or hereafter, under any ordinance of the City of Oakland, or having any contract with said city for the gathering, destruction or removal of garbage, house refuse, butcher's offal, refuse, ashes, dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter, in and from said city shall be and are hereby required to provide a screen (size of screen to meet the approval of the Health Department) for the purpose of separating ashes and non-combustible matter and substances from garbage, refuse, butcher's offal, house refuse, ashes, dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter. And such person, firm, or corporation shall carefully and thoroughly separate such ashes and other non-combustible matter and substances from garbage, house refuse, butcher's offal, refuse, ashes dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter so gathered.

Section 2. Said ashes and non-combustible matter and substances shall be deposited by said person, firm or corporation in such places as shall from time to time be designated by the Council of the said city for the purpose of filling in streets and low lands or marshes and subject to the approval of the Board of Health. Said garbage, house refuse, butcher's offal, refuse, ashes, dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter shall be by such person, firm or corporation effectually destroyed or removed in accordance with the ordinance or contract under which said person, firm or corporation may be gathering, destroying or removing garbage, house refuse, butcher's offal, refuse, ashes, dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter, in and from said city of Oakland.

Section 3. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished upon conviction by a fine not exceeding $100 and in case such fine be not paid, then the person or persons so fined shall be imprisoned in the city prison of the City of Oakland at the rate of one day for each two dollars of the fine so imposed and remaining unpaid.

"Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its passage and approval."

Ordering the opening of East Twenty-first street. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Establishing the grade on Twenty-second avenue, between Seventeenth and Twenty-first streets. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Adopting general specifications for private and side sewers. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Directing the Northern Railway Company to change the location of its tracks on Cedar street. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Amending the liquor license ordinance so that the Council may have the power to return to a party his license after it has once been revoked, providing good cause arises therefor. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Amending the ordinance relating to the sale of unwholesome meats. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

The following ordinances were finally passed:

Ordering the opening of Thirteenth street between Kirkham and Center streets.

Making it unlawful for any motorman to leave his post while his car is in motion.

Compelling street cars to reduce their speed to 3 miles an hour when passing each other and not to pass at all on any cross streets or within 50 feet thereof.

The Council then adjourned to meet next Monday night.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The Auditing and Finance Committee recommended the payment of a number of claims, but to some of them Watkinson took exception, or at least wanted further investigation by the committee and at his request they were referred. The bills were incurred in the City Engineer's office and were as follows:

L. M. Hall, $120; C. E. Proctor, $46.50; $12, $15, $18, $40.50; T. H. Reed, $58.50, $57, $24, $6, $43.50, $6.

Other bills allowed were as follows:

L. Anderson, $4.10, $32; Associated Charities, $150; L. S. Bixby, $25; Contra Costa Laundry, $4.45; J. P. Crick, $12.50; Carruth & Carruth, $12.50, $13.50; G. B. Daniels & Co., $12.28, $3.10; A. Deverson, $6.50; E. M. Derby & Co. $997; A. C. Deltz, $20; H. D. Eliason $1.50, $0.96; Hugh Frazier, $2; Mrs. Mary Gooby, $10; Girard & Co., $3.95; E. Hook, $42.42, $5; Hillhouse & Reardon, $8.23, $24.25; D. D. Hays, $12, $3; E. Hough, $60, $5, $35; J. Hauir, $20; Industry Pub. Co., $6.95; Ingler & Atkinson, $1.10; W. B. Ingersol, $11.50; J. E. Johnson, $5.50; M. Knapp, $15, $15; C. A. Klinker & Co., $14.25; A. Kruger, $15, $15, $15, $15, $20; James Lamb, $20; A. Leckie, $2.85; Wm. Lebrich, $1.75, $2; C. A. Maxwell & Sons, $65.95, $3.50, $39.56, $21, $2.70, $4.62; L. A. Mitchell, $15; E. Mosca, $24; Mitchell Bros, $16; James Miller, $225.10; Maxwell & Poorman, $47; J. Mueller, $4.75; Oakland Sash & Door Co., $5.25; Oakland Iron Works, $30, $32.29, $15; Oakland Gas Light and Heat Co., $4,979.15, $8, $10.85; $221.30; Oakland Enq. Pub. Co., $1.67, $9.36, $19.24, $1.71, $9.48, $10.34, $12.06; $11.48; Pierce Hardware Co., $87.08; Pacific Press Pub. Co., $13.50; Remillard Brick Co., $67, $19.50; J. C. Sweet & Co., $17; Sobst Bros., $6; M. Sullivan, $4; A. W. Sherwood, $9.25, $6; H. B. Sears, $5.50; John Simon, $2.50; M. S. Smith & Sons, $4.25; C. Schreiber, $35; Sunset T. & T. Co., $5.30, $0.25, $0.50, $0.80, $0.15; O. K. Stampley, $4; A. B. Tennent, $122.50, $122.50; E. R. Tutt, $0.95; Taylor & Anseon, $2.20; Taylor & Co., $96.47; J. C. Wetson & Co., $16.98, $9.22, $47.87, $15.79, $51.43, $264.22, $5.96, $5.86, $8.81, Wilson & Reynolds, $10; J. J. White, $1; H. M. Wilson, $2.75; W. W. Woodcock, $1.92, Fred Wuescher, $3.25; W. B. Walkup, $1.50; H. L. Weltzel, $275.75; Weitman & Weitman, $11.75.

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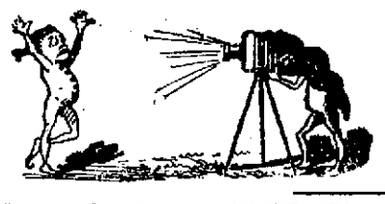
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The elections at Haywards, San Leandro and Pleasanton yesterday were all very lively. The results were as follows:

HAYWARDS.

Town Trustees, four-year term—George C. Baxter, 139; W. P. Crane, 47; Charles W. Heyer, 277; E. W. Merwin, 226; John D. Pinheiro, 144; M. C. Peterson, 190; all independent.

Town Trustee, two-year term—William Lawrence, 181; Henry Powell, Sr., 169; independent.

Town Marshal—George F. Obermuller, 176; W. J. Ramage, 191; independent.

Town Clerk—H. E. Brunner, 122; Jas. A. Collins, 254; independent.

Town Treasurer—Alonzo Bradford, 177; A. E. Fischer, 193; independent.

Library Trustees—F. F. Allen, J. E. Geary, J. J. McDonnell, R. Reid, R. E. Wenk, unanimously; independent.

SAN LEANDRO.

City Trustees—George Downie, 283; H. F. Jber, 378; J. M. Estudillo, 118; B. D. Gray, 295; N. L. Hansen, 115; independent.

City Clerk—L. J. Martin, 176; Frank H. Williams, 228; independent.

City Marshal—Manuel Borge, 7; Michael Geisenhoefer, 272; William B. McKenzie, 31; M. J. O'Brien, 16; A. J. Santos, 77; independent.

City Treasurer—Joseph Herrscher, unanimous; independent.

PLEASANTON.

Town Trustees (long term, three elected)—Nevis, 152; D. Gray, 115; Martin, 111; Hortenstine, 105.

Short Term—Schroeder, 142.

Town Clerk—Joseph Neal, 144.

Town Treasurer—G. L. Benedict, 151.

Town Marshal—Ed Head, 74; J. Brophy, 52; Donalty, 45; L. Locke, 31, Starr, 2.

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DEEDS,

MONDAY, April 13, 1896.

Frederick J. Farnham to Henry E. Crane, S 12th av 200 NE E 24th st NE 50 x SE 150, blk 159, Clinto, $10.

Minerva J. Sweeney to C. W. and E. A. Gunn, SW Todd and Occidental sts S 135 x W 50, being lot 8, blk I, Paradise Park, $10.

R. S. and Carrie Miller to J. J. Montgomery, E Grove 59 S 43d S 50 x E 90, being ptn plot 36, Ro V, and D. Peralta, $10.

Mary J. Moss et al. to Julia E. Gould, lot 24, blk T, amended map Moss tract, $10.

North Alameda Land Co. to Manuel Garcia, lot 4, blk 9, North Alameda tract, fmly Valdez and Glascock tract, $350.

H. B. and Laura A. Pinney to Annie Erikson, E Boston av 150 N Chicago av N 50 x E 130, blk E, revised map Prospect Hill tract, $400.

J. E. and Sadie F. Crooks to John Gamble, lot 11, blk 104, Meek tract, map 1, Haywards, $10.

James A. Trefry to Edward Salz, com at a pt where the division line bet lands of Isl party and lands of Silvaria intersects center line county road Centerville to Irvington, th SW 433 ft NW 80 ft NE 433 ft SE 80 ft to beg, town of Centerville, $5.

Geo. Leonard et al., by commr. to Bank of Livermore, lots 1 to 8, Leonard tract, Livermore, $685.

Chas. R. Morgan to Eliza W. Morgan, NW Castro and 12th sts N 100 x W 150, being lots 19 to 25, blk 180, Q. C. D., $5.

Mary Y. Vest to George H. Wethern, E Kirkham st 148 N W 12th st N 76 x E 115, being lots 21 and 25, blk 577, $3000.

W. E. and Laura J. Thomas to Wm. P. and Alice F. Todd, re-record of 519 d 271, S Oakland av 345.74 E Vernal av E 40 S 134.10 W 40.03 N 132.65 to beg, being lot 21, Piedmont tract, subj to a mtge to Union Savings Bank for $650, $10.

Vincent and Marie Hourat to Marcel Hourat, lots 15 and 16, blk I, resub ptn Roberts and Wolfskill tract, $450.

Chas. H. Sawyer to Georgie E. Sawyer, nee Handy, W College av 150 S Sylvan way W 216 S 48 E 215 N 50 to beg, being ptn Hillegass estate in plot 71, Ro V, and D. Peralta, $10.

J. C. and Mary E. McMullen and Mary M. Buck, by attorney, to George K. Holloway, lot 10, blk 5, Case tract, $10.

James E. and Matilda A. Daly to David Anderson, lots 5 and 6, blk D; lots 4, 5, 8 and 18, blk F, Daly tract, $10.

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SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
Department No. 3.
JULIA E. BEGHTOL,
Plaintiff,
vs.
CHARLES A. BEGHTOL,
Defendant.

Action taken in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and the Complaint filed in said County of Alameda, in the office of said Clerk of said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Charles A. Beghtol, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this Summons, if served within this County, otherwise within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other relief as to the Court may seem proper, upon the ground of defendant's willful failure and neglect to provide for plaintiff the common necessaries of life for the period of more than one year now last past and immediately preceding the commencement of this action, he having the ability so to do, and that plaintiff be permitted to resume her maiden name of Julia E. Necker, special references being made to the complaint on file herein for further particulars.

And you are hereby notified, that if you fail to appear and answer the said Complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this 31st day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. Cal Ewing, Deputy Clerk.
Walter H. Levy, attorney for plaintiff.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

LOUISA B. GROVE, Plaintiff,
vs. No. 11,123.
F. F. WESTON ET AL., Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein Louisa B. Grove, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against F. F. Weston, J. L. Scotchler, Harriet E. Whirlow, Elizabeth Krytser, John E. Krytser, Louis P. Neuweiler and William F. Lewis, defendants, on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1896, for the sum of eleven hundred and ninety dollars, in United States gold coin, besides interest, costs and counsel fees; and wherein defendant and cross-complainant William F. Lewis obtained a judgment for the sum of three hundred and sixty-six and 82-100 dollars in United States gold coin, besides interest, which said decree was, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 20 of said Court, at page 304, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the town of Berkeley, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Channing way, distant thereon three hundred and fifty (350) feet westerly from the westerly line of Fulton street; and running thence westerly along the said line of Channing way fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles southerly three hundred (300) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet; thence at right angles westerly fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet to the point of commencement, being a portion of lot number seven (7) in block number three (3), as numbered and delineated on a certain map entitled "Property of the College Homestead Association, Oakland, Alameda County, Cal.," recorded May 15, 1866, in Liber "T" of Deeds, at page 798, Alameda County Records.

Public notice is hereby given that on

WEDNESDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1896,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Courthouse of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, in the order specified in said decree, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgments, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, April 11th, 1896.
W. S. HARLOW,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
JOHN M. LEWIS, Attorney for Plaintiff, Pacific Mutual Building, San Francisco.

LINDEN STREET OPENING.

Street Superintendent's Notice Requiring Payment of Assessment.

Office of the Superintendent of Streets, Oakland, April 10th, 1896.

In compliance with law, notice is hereby given that on March 4th, 1896, I received from the City Clerk of the City of Oakland a certified copy of the written report, assessment and plat accompanying the same made by the Commissioners appointed by the City Council of the City of Oakland, to assess benefits and damages, and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of the opening of Linden street, in said city, from First street to the Peralta Grant line, which said report, assessment and plat were filed by said Commissioners, in the office of the Clerk of said City Council, December 23d, 1895, and passed upon, confirmed, approved and adopted by said City Council at a regular meeting thereof, held on March 2d, 1896, and that the assessment therein contained is now due and payable, and thirty days after said March 4th, 1896, will be a lien upon all the property contained and described therein as therein assessed for its proportion of the cost of said improvement.

Notice is also given that all sums levied and assessed in said assessment roll are due and payable immediately, and that the payment of each of said sums respectively is to be made to me within thirty days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: thirty days from April 10, 1896, and that all assessments not paid before the expiration of thirty days will become and will be declared to be delinquent, and that thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of each delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment, will be added thereto.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland and Street Superintendent of the City of Oakland.
Dated April 10, 1896.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Devin, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Elizabeth Devin, deceased, and for the issuance to Annie Shields of letters of Administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 13th day of April, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated, April 1st, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk,
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
Fitzgerald & Abbott attorneys for Petitioner.
Oakland, Cal.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Catherine Murray, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Catherine Murray, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of F. J. Brearty, 876 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Catherine Murray, deceased.

RHODY MURRAY,
Administrator of the estate of Catherine Murray, deceased.
Dated Oakland, March 17th, 1896

LEGAL.

ADJUDICATION OF INSOLVENCY

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Rudolf Bartsch, insolvent debtor.

Rudolf Bartsch having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Rudolf Bartsch is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property, until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor, whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this court at least two days prior to the 10th day of April, 1896, be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, Department No. 1, in the County of Alameda, on the said 10th day of April, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Weekly Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.

Dated Oakland, April 2, 1896.
F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

ADJUDICATION OF INSOLVENCY

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Andrew S. Ruch, insolvent debtor.

Andrew S. Ruch having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Andrew S. Ruch is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property, until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor, whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court, at least two days prior to the 20th day of April, 1896, be and appear before the Hon. John Ellsworth, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 3, in the County of Alameda, on the said 20th day of April, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.

Dated April 11th, 1896.
A. L. FRICK,
Judge of the Superior Court.
(Endorsed:) Filed April 11, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
FITZGERALD & ABBOTT, Attorneys for Insolvent.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 16th, 1896, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridiam on the

First Monday of March, 1896,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 16th, 1896, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1896.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1896 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

the Poll Tax shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 433 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

LEGAL.

AN ORDINANCE

Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental, or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, (A Corporation) and the Oakland Water Company, (A Corporation), in the County of Alameda, Other Than in the City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this Board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, and the Oakland Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental, or distribution of water in the County of Alameda, other than in any City or Town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed. All persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this Board, and this Board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this Board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate-payer and to the said corporations, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, and the Oakland Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by them of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any City or Town therein.

For houses and tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building (covering a ground surface of

Square feet	One Story.	Two stories	Three stories upwards
1 to 400.....	45	65	75
401 to 500.....	55	80	95
501 to 600.....	65	95	1 10
601 to 700.....	75	1 15	1 30
701 to 800.....	85	1 25	1 45
801 to 900.....	95	1 40	1 65
901 to 1000.....	1 05	1 55	1 80
1001 to 1200.....	1 10	1 65	1 90
1201 to 1400.....	1 15	1 70	2 00
1401 to 1600.....	1 20	1 80	2 10
1601 to 1800.....	1 25	1 85	2 20
1801 to 2000.....	1 30	1 95	2 25
2001 to 2200.....	1 35	2 00	2 35
2201 to 2400.....	1 40	2 10	2 45
2401 to 2600.....	1 45	2 15	2 50
2601 to 2800.....	1 50	2 25	2 60
2801 to 3000.....	1 55	2 30	2 70
3001 to 3200.....	1 60	2 40	2 80
3201 to 3400.....	1 65	2 45	2 85
3401 to 3600.....	1 70	2 55	2 95
3601 to 3800.....	1 75	2 60	3 05
3801 to 4000.....	1 80	2 70	3 15

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 4,000 square feet, five (5) cents for each additional 200 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent, and for three stories and upwards seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family in addition to the foregoing rates one-half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified.

For each day boarder, $0.05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0.08.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0.04.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes at the rates specified.

For saloons, places of amusement, beer halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectionaries, photograph galleries, printing offices, green houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0.75 to $7.50 or, in case of disagreement in estimtaes, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines, powers, motors, elevators, mills, manufactories, jails, laundries, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, acording to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0.30.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0.15.

For each water closet for use in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to, or used by other than one private family, $0.75.

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0.20.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0.10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0.40.

For each bath tub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, or accessible to other than one private family, $0.75.

Each bath tub in bathing establishments and barber shops, $1.25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds, five mills (5m) per square yard per month, payable every month in the year; provided that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2.40 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, windows, fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty-five lineal front feet facing the street, one cent per lineal foot; for each additional lineal front foot, one-half cent; hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ¾ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0.40.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0.35.

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0.25,

Provided that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $0.40.

Each cow, $0.15.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0.15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying brick, $0.20.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0.05.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0.04.

Bakers according to the monthly use of flour for each twenty-five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1.00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule, shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2.50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $25.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50.

For the water used in sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda, its officers, employes, or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of fifteen cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters, or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road District, of the number of casks or sprinkling-wagon loads used, and of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road District monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company, or Oakland Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers, or persons authorized by the county or its officers for flushing or cleaning sewers, shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county, monthly, at the rate of fifteen cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda, for water supplied to, and by, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purpose, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this Ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter, or for public uses, which shall be payable at the end of each calendar month; and all water rates, except the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company, and the Oakland Water Company, shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumer's request for a readjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates; and should it appear from each examination that any consumer is excessively using, or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rates as herein.

Section 4. This Ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company and the Oakland Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of May, A. D., 1896.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, April 6, 1896, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Johnston, Pelouze, Talcott and Chairman Bailey—5.

Noes—None.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.
Attest:
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk (SEAL)

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California,

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3768 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 28th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE TO VOTERS!

REGISTRATION!

Office of the County Clerk,
Alameda Co., State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, held on the 13th day of January, 1896, it was ordered that the Clerk of said County make a new and

COMPLETE REGISTRATION

of the voters of said County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1094 of the Political Code of the State of California, that said registration commence on the 17th day of February 1896, and continue until 35 days before the next General Election, to wit., to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Now, therefore, this is to give notice, that in pursuance of said order, said new registration will commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits for registration may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the County, or any Deputy County Assessor without charge. Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. All naturalized citizens who have not been registered before must present papers when applying for registration.

The office of the County Clerk at the Hall of Records, Oakland, Cal., will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7:20 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the accommodation of voters. All citizens are notified to apply for registration at once.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, and when names are entered on the Great Register postal cards will be sent to each citizen of the date of such entry. If postal is not received voters should ascertain at once for his own protection the reason why.

Feb. 17, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.
(Seal.)

Only One Chance

to procure one of those swell suits. Our foreign buyer sent us a line of novelties from the Scotch and English markets—he sent but one suit length of each pattern. If you act quickly you can secure one of them—your neighbor can't get one just like it.

Fit guaranteed.

M. J. KELLER COMPANY.

1105, 1107, 1109 Broadway, Oakland.

MRS. POTTER IS HERE.

The Well-Known Actress Is on a Visit to Her Parents.

Mrs. Cora Urquhart Potter reached Oakland last night and will remain here for several days visiting her parents, Colonel and Mrs. Urquhart. Mrs. Potter and Mr. Bellew are going to Australia on a starring tour, and will be joined there by a troupe of English and Australian players.

Mrs. Potter is looking very charming and is delighted to be in California once more although she is disappointed at being unable to play here until her return eight months hence. In Australia the company will present "Charlotte Corday," "As You Like It," "The Royal Divorce," "La Tosca," "David Garrick," "Cavalleria Rusticana," "She Stoops to Conquer," "Camille" and Francillon." Mrs. Potter is down on Daly as a manager, because he does not advertise and hesitates to spend money, but as a friend she likes him very well.

Mrs. Potter is also a new woman, almost on the advanced suffrage lines. "The clinging vine woman is out of fashion," she said, "the idea now is to let women work out the good or the genius that is in them. I believe in letting a woman choose her own career. We are not all dolls cut out of paper by pattern. Some of us were not cut out of the Fireside Companion, and for these there is another way. If a woman be domestic and choose that life, then she is independent and it is all right."

Success has agreed with Mrs. Potter, and she looks much younger than she did at her last appearance on this coast. She is one of the most charming and original actresses on the stage at the present day. In speaking of her work, she said: "Just say I love to act as well as ever and that I know myself better than before. I hope when my California friends see me they will say I have improved."

Bay City flour is the whitest. Try it.

A Young Men's Debate.

The Men's Club of the First Free Baptist Church will hold an open meeting at 8 o'clock tonight, in the vestry of the church, to which all their friends are invited. The following question will be discussed: "Resolved, That the United States Government is now a practical oligarchy and not a republic."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE SINGERS ARE HERE.

Salt Lake's Mormon Choir Will Be Heard In Oakland Tonight.

A Review of First-Night Attractions at the Leading Theaters.

The great Mormon Tabernacle Choir arrived in Oakland this morning on the overland. A superlative entertainment will be given this evening at the First Congregational Church, and the enormous demand for tickets indicates that the spacious structure will be filled to overflowing.

The choir has a strong force of soprano, contralto, tenor and bass soloists, and has besides three special features in Willard Weihe, a violin virtuoso who was a pupil of Ole Bull; Maud May Babcock, the reciter of the company, a young Harvard graduate, and Charlie Pike, the boy contralto, who is said to have a voice whose strength and richness is seldom equalled even in a full grown woman.

The Mormon Choir is acknowledged as the finest in America, if not in the world. It won the first prize in the great contest at the World's Fair.

THE OAKLAND.

The popular melodrama, "The Streets of New York," received a careful production last night at the Oakland Theater. The Bacon Company was at its best, and the individual work of its members showed that they were artists in their line. The piece is a familiar one, and deals with New York life in all its phases. The settings are new and attractive, while the property effects, especially in the fire scene, are well handled.

Norval McGregor, as "Badger," a clerk, handles his part cleverly, while his make-up is excellent. George Hermance, the stage manager, as the old sea captain, is at his best, and Frank Bacon creates amusement as "Danny."

Virginia Jackson, in the role of "Lucy Fairweather," proves her ability, while the other characters are all well sustained.

Without doubt, the "Streets of New York" is an interesting entertainment, and it will assuredly fill the house all week.

"PUDD'NHEAD WILSON."

Frank Mayo's new play, the one which he has made of Mark Twain's Missouri story, it is said, takes all hearts by storm, and "Pudd'nhead Wilson makes for himself a welcome that will give the play glad greeting from theater goers for many years to come. Mr. Mayo's success as the queer old Missouri hero which Mark Twain created, will, it is said, cast into oblivion all of Mr. Mayo's former great success. His business has tested the capacity of houses during the latter part of his visit to each city in which it has been seen. Mr. Mayo and his clever company will present the play at the Macdonough next Monday and Tuesday evenings.

THE BALDWIN.

Richard Mansfield, in "Beau Brummell," proved a star attraction at the Baldwin last night. His acting has lost none of its power to please, and one of its chief features is that he is perfectly natural. Mansfield's art never for a moment flags from the first scene, when the foppish leader of fashion sits before his mirror, powder puff in hand, to the supreme moment when he falls dead of slow starvation in his miserable Calais lodging. Throughout the whole performance there is not one strained effect nor meretricious bit of play, nothing that fails to confirm the theater goer's own observation of life.

THE CALIFORNIA.

The "Night Clerk," with Peter F. Dailey in the title role, continues to draw good houses at the California this week. The laughing comedy keeps the audience in good humor from start to finish, and Dailey proves that he is an actor of decided merit. Next week the piece will give way to Roland Reed.

THE COLUMBIA.

Frank Mayo, in "Pudd'nhead Wilson," is still a drawing card at the Columbia, where the quaint old characters are well received. Next week Ezra Kendall will appear.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

The familiar melodrama from Jules Verne's book, "Michael Strogoff," is given an elaborate production at Morosco's Grand Opera House this week. Although the play is decidedly a familiar one, its chief merit now lies in the clever manner in which it is staged. In the palace scene, the full depth of the big stage is utilized, and the settings are excellent. The piece will continue all week.

THE TIVOLI.

The second week of "Blue Beard" opened at the Tivoli last night. That it still continues to please was demonstrated by the large audience and the enthusiasm with which the special features were received. The settings are all brilliant, and the dances a very enjoyable feature.

THE ALCAZAR.

"Cad the Tomboy" is the card at the Alcazar this week. Last night, Grover's Company gave a very careful and amusing interpretation of the comedy drama, and the show proves that it will fill the houses nightly.

THE ORPHEUM.

Some strong novelties were presented at the Orpheum last night, which made a hit. The Hewetts and the Marvelles were well received, and Elena Leila, Rosie Rendel, Adonis Ames, La Bella Carmen, Bruet and Riviere and the Nawns were greeted with much applause.

A BIG CIRCUS COMING.

The great and only Joe Kane is on the road again. He is press advance agent of the combined Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Circuses, a combination that forms the greatest show in the world. It is as large as any three circuses that ever visited the coast. The aggregation is already on its way West, and Joe will soon be shaking hands with his Oakland friends again.



Gladness Comes

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

W. H. Rouse of Calaveras county is in this city.

G. H. Potter has gone to Los Angeles.

Miss Ollie Brentano and Master Herbert Hanna have returned to their home from Jacksonville, Or.

Mrs. M. Campbell is in Napa.

Miss Minnie Luck is visiting in Napa.

E. E. Goodrich has returned to San Jose, after a short visit in this city.

Mrs. Sullivan of this city will spend the summer at the El Monte, Los Gatos.

Miss May Hochholgen of Alameda is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Koppity of Los Gatos.

Miss Stella Ames of this city will give an entertainment in Haywards on the 21st.

James L. Flannigan and wife, nee Miss Mamie Baker, of East Oakland, are spending their honeymoon in the south.

The marriage of Miss Annie Boek and Mr. Sorenson occurs this evening at the bride's home.

The Spring Art exhibition of the Mark Hopkins' Institute opens on Thursday evening.

The U. C. Glee Club and the First Congregational Church orchestra will give a joint concert on April 21st at the First Congregational Church.

Mrs. Robert S. Moore is visiting friends in Los Angeles.

The R. S. Social Club will give a fancy domino party Friday evening, April 17, at I. O. O. F. Hall, East Oakland.

The Fifth Regiment Band will give a ball in Military Hall this evening.

Piedmont Parlor, N. D. G. W., will give a social at Loring Hall a week from Friday.

Two Oakland society girls participated in Mrs. Hager's amateur theatricals at N. S. G. W. Hall last evening. They were Miss Minnie Houghton and Miss Ella Goodall. The former played the part of the heroine, "Miss Nellie Goldengate," in the play, "A Modern Anaias." Miss Goodall played the role of "Prudence," a New England maiden, with firm ideas of propriety. Her singing was one of the most delightful features of the evening. Both did some very clever acting.

Mrs. G. C. Peralta and her daughter, Eleanor, left this morning for an extended southern trip. They will visit Bakersfield, Santa Monica and Los Angeles.

Miss Florence Waitt, who has been dangerously ill with typhoid fever for the past three weeks, and under the skillful treatment of Dr. Crowley, is convalescing.

Sunday School Delegates.

The Zion Sunday School of the First English Lutheran church, corner of Grove and Sixteenth street, has elected Miss Lillie Moller and Mrs. D. A. Johnson as delegates to attend the Sunday School Convention to be held in the Twenty-third Avenue Baptist Church of East Oakland, April 25th. Miss Trolle and Mrs. S. A. Williard were elected alternates.

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Southern California: Partly cloudy with occasional showers in the mountains this afternoon, generally fair tonight and Wednesday; somewhat cooler tonight; fresh to brisk northwesterly winds.

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DECLINE TO TRY DR. BROWN.

A Victory for the Accused Pastor at the Conference.

HE NOW TAKES HIS SEAT.

An Enormous throng Present at the Berkeley Church.

MANY LADIES ON HAND.

The Center Figure of the Big Scandal Early on Hand.

The Bay Conference of Congregational Churches opened this afternoon at half past one o'clock in the First Congregational Church of Berkeley. A large number of delegates were in attendance from San Francisco, Marin and Alameda Counties and in the audience were many ladies.

The auditorium of the church was tastefully decorated with cut flowers, palms and foliage.

The delegates present represented Congregational Churches located in Alameda, North and South Berkeley, Lorin, Decoto, Dougherty, Fitchburg, Fruitvale, Haywards, Mission San Jose, Niles, San Rafael, Sausalito, Sunol, San Francisco and Oakland. From Oakland the following churches had delegates seated:

First, Second, Plymouth Avenue, Fourth, Pilgrim and Market Street.

The San Francisco churches represented are the First, Plymouth, Third, Fourth, Bethany, Olivet, Swedish, Eighth and Pierce Street.

Each church is entitled to at least three delegates the pastor, or acting pastor, serving as one, while two others may be selected from the congregation.

Among the delegates in attendance are Revs. E. S. Chapman, H. H. Cole, W. H. Cooke, Philip Coombe, A. K. Crawford, A. Drahms, Frederick Howith, F. H. Foster, W. Frear, J. H. Goodell, J. K. Harrison, G. B. Hatch, J. C. Holbrook, William Rader, R. R. Lloyd, O. M. Lucas, F. H. Moor, Geo. T. McCollune, J. K. McLean, George Mooar, C. S. Nash, F. B. Perkins, J. Rea, J. Rowell W. W. Scudder, W. A. Tenney, W. H. Tubb, F. H. Wales, James H. Warren, H. H. Wikoff, Mahlon Willett, S. H. Willey, W. D. Williams, Daniel Wirt and Logal L. Wirt and Dr. Freeland.

Friends of Dr. Brown foun a large part of the attendance, though that the opposition is on hand is evident. The c ergymen refrain from discussing the matter in any of its phases and it is intimated that the affair will be hushed up. It is assured that some of his friends are working with this aim in view.

The order of exercises for today and tonight is as follows:

AFTERNOON SESSION.

1:45—Opening service, J. H. Goodell, Moderator.
2:00—Preliminary business.
2:15—Reports from the Churches.
3:15—Annual business.
4:00—"Mythical Element in the Bible." W. W. Lovejoy.
4:45—"The World's Peace," J. R. Bacon.
5:30—Recess.

EVENING SESSION.

7:00—Opening service.
7:15—Business.
7.45—"Christian Citizenship," Wm. Rader.
8.30—Closing business and adjournment.

DR. BROWN ARRIVES.

Just before the call to order Dr. Brown and several clergical friends walked down the aisle and took prominent seats. All eyes were turned in his direction and a low buzz of whispers swept over the auditorium.

Mrs. May Davis and Dr. Rogers are in Dr. Brown's party.

Rev. J. H. Goodell, moderator, opened the meeting by announcing the hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name."

After a Scripture selection, Rev. Dr. Mooar offered a prayer, and Rev. Dr. Perkins followed, asking for divine blessing.

Rev. Goodell called for the Credential called upon the members of the conference to assist him, as there was much work to be done at this session.

Rev. Hatch, registrar, acting as scribe, then called the roll of churches, and Revs. Cooke and Mooar then collected the names of the ministerial delegates.

Rev. Goodall called for the Credential Committee, but it was not in evidence.

Dr. Williams moved that the conference proceed to the business of the Credential Committee, and consider the advisability of admitting several new members and churches. As the chairman of the Conference Committee at this time appeared, he was allowed to make his report, but asked for further time, as all names had not been considered.

It is understood that the report of this committee will precipitate the action regarding Dr. Brown.

Registrar Hatch then read the minutes of the previous session.

REQUA STILL PRESIDENT.

Election Today of Officers of the Central Pacific Railroad.

SAN FRANCISCO, Apr. 14.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Pacific Company today, the Board of Directors was unanimously re-elected.

Subsequently the Directors organized by the election of the following officers:

President, Isaac L. Requa vice president, C. P. Huntington; second vice-president, W. H. Mills; third vice-president, J. E. Gates, secretary, William Thompson.

WILL NOT ACT.

The Committee on Credentials has refused to take up Dr. Brown's case.

Dr. McLean has proposed that the whole matter be referred to some future date, when Dr. Brown can be given a new trial.

This will be the order.

Dr. Brown therefore takes his seat as a member of the conference.

Bishop Ryan's Funeral.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BUFFALO, April 14.—The funeral services of the late Bishop Ryan were held in the Cathedral today. Arch-Bishop Corrigan officiated at the Pontoficial high mass and the sermon was preached by Arch-Bishop Ireland. The body was lowered into the vault in the Cathedral beside that of Bishop Ryan's predecessor in the office.

Municipal Meetings.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners will meet this afternoon and tonight the Board of Public Works convenes. The appointment of a stenographer and assistant clerk in the office of the Superintendent of Streets will come before the latter body, but Miss Babcock, the present incumbent, has things arranged and will be reappointed. The position was declared vacant last evening by the Council through the red tape of raising the salary of the clerk.

TILLMAN IS AT DENVER.

The Southern Senator Is Very Emphatic About Free Silver.

He Wants Delegations to Bolt When A Gold-Bug Is Named.

DENVER, April 14.—Senator Tillman arrived in Denver this morning and was met at the train by leading Democrats.

Tonight a public reception will be tendered the distinguished visitor and tomorrow night he will address the State Democratic Convention.

He said the outlook is altogether favorable for the Democratic Convention to be controlled by a free silver wing.

He will probably not leave Denver until Thursday.

"I am a Democrat," said Senator Tillman today to Mayor McMurray, "but if I may be permitted to offer a word of advice to the free silver Republicans of Colorado, send Senator Teller to the St. Louis Convention as Chairman of the Delegation, with instructions which he will gladly obey, to lead his delegation from the convention hall the moment McKinley, or any other gold bug is nominated for President, or any other platform than one demanding free silver without awaiting the consent of England."

He concluded: "The country is going to hell! Let us show the world we know it and we are determined to interfere."

A Direct Charge.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CINCINNATI, April 14.—At Newport, Ky., today the attorneys for the commonwealth made the officials announcement that they would prove Jackson and Walling were together on the Covington suspension bridge soon after the murder of Pearl Bryan and that they were seen throwing the head of a murdered girl in the Ohio river.

HAS HEARD FROM GROVER

The Spanish Premier Is Officially Notified About Cuba.

Such Is the Story That Is Now Going the Rounds In Madrid.

LONDON, April 14.—A despatch from Madrid to the Pall Mall Gazette says: Senor Canovas del Castillo, the Spanish Premier, is ill and cannot be interviewed.

His relatives, however confirm the existence of a "communique" from President Cleveland. But in the present state of public feeling, it will be impossible for the government to accept his offer.

Matters are very complicated and while the government will do everything in its power to avoid a quarrel with the United States, it will prefer to fight rather than lose Cuba through foreign pressure.

The coming Cortes will grant Cuba every reasonable franchise that has been enjoyed under the Spanish flag.

NOT KNOWN AT WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Nothing is known at the State Department of any such communication from President Cleveland to the Spanish Premier, Senor Castillo, as is referred to in a telegram from Madrid.

It is surmised, however, that the matter is entering into Spanish politics and is perhaps being therefore more or less distorted to serve party purposes.

Hurried to Death.

DANNEMORA, N. Y., April 14.—Joseph Zlamel was put to death in the state prison by electricity at Clinton today. He murdered his sweetheart, Theresa Kamora, by cutting her throat with a razor August 30, 1895. Jealousy was the cause.

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A RICH ESTATE.

Appraisement Made of the Property of Young Walkerley.

Messrs. Joseph Lanktree, J. B. Travers and J. C. Ewing, appraisers of the estate of the late Willie Martin Walkerly, minor son of William Walkerly, the deceased capitalist, have filed their report which places the value of the property at $195,867.49. This represents a one-half interest of the child in all the property of William Walkerly which was distributed to the son's mother, now Blanche M. Burbank, as his sole heir-at-law. Because of this distribution it was thought that the appraisers might place only a nominal value on the property found by them. They, however, elected to take the figures of the assessors with the above result. The estate includes a half-interest in the block bounded by Humboldt, 20th street, 6th avenue and Jordan street in East Oakland; the Pacific Union Building and ground in San Francisco, assessed at $236,900, 122 shares of capital stock in the Wyoming Coal and Coking Company; a claim against the Pacific Union Club for rent of $1250 and against C. F. Webb for $400.

CONTRA COSTA.

The Old Board of Directors Is Re-Elected Today.

The stockholders of the Contra Costa Water Company met this morning at the company's office on Montgomery street, in San Francisco.

About twenty stockholders were present in person, representing 4,500 shares of stock and proxies were represented to the extent of 23,500 shares, making a total attendance of stock of 28,000 shares.

President Pierce read a statement of the company's affairs which was placed on file.

Mr. Collins then nominated the old Board of Trustees, namely: Messrs. Pierce, Metcalf, Talbot, Knight and Knowles, for re-election.

There being no other nominees the old Board was unanimously elected.

It was resolved to amend the constitution so that hereafter the Trustees shall number seven instead of five.

The meeting then adjourned.

NEW UNIFORMS.

Chief Lloyd Recommends Changes for His Staff Officers.

Chief Lloyd wants a change in the uniform of the police officers. He has sent a communication to the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners, recommending:

1. That captains shall wear a double breasted coat of blue, with two rows of brass buttons up and down the front.

2. Sergeants, single breasted sack coat, to button up to the neck.

These officers shall also wear regular police caps, with the word "captain" or "sergeant" across the front.

For the patrolmen he wants a chevrons of black cloth on the sleeves, and for chief, captains and sergeants chevrons of gold braid.

The matter will come up before the Police and Fire Commissioners this afternoon.

DEAD IN THE BATH TUB.

A Leading Merced Merchant Meets a Strange End.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MERCED, Cal., April 14.—M. Hartman, a leading merchant, was found floating in the bath-tub at his home this morning, dead.

He had been told by his physician to take a hot bath before retiring for insomnia.

Last night he went to the bath and was not seen till found dead this morning.

It is not known whether the drowning in his own bath tub was suicide or accidental.

A RUNAWAY GIRL.

Lena Wyman Has Gone, but Is Not Stage Struck.

Miss Lena Wyman of Eighth and Chester streets has disappeared from her home and her mother fears she has sought fame on the histrionic boards.

Miss Lillie Wolfe who it was reported had disappeared with Miss Wyman, but who in fact is at home and has been ever since Miss Wyman left, was seen today by a Tribune reporter. Miss Wolfe does not think her absent friend's ideas reached as high as the stage and says that she left home to work in a cologne factory in San Francisco and a search through those establishments would probably reveal her far quicker than the inspection of green rooms.

Just Three Wine Casks.

Public Administrator Knight has been given permission to sell the personal property of the estate of the late Lorenzo Ghiozzi, the old gardener, nicknamed "Garibaldi," who was killed by the Seventh street local a year ago. The property makes a melancholy showing comprising only three wine casks.

Revival Meetings.

Revival meetings are being held nightly at the Tenth avenue Baptist Church in East Oakland. Rev. C. Hill assisted by Revs. Whitaker and Jordan, are personally conducting the meetings, and good music will be rendered each evening.

The Grand Jury.

Judge Greene issued an order today for the calling of a grand jury and the names of the nineteen county inquisitors will probably be selected tomorrow. The names from which the nineteen are to be drawn have already been selected by Judge Greene.

Another Bid for Liberty

Another writ of habeas corpus has been issued by Judge Ellsworth in the Root case. It is returnable at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Dyspepsia cured by using Adam's Tutti-Frutti Chewing Gum after each meal.

DEFEND THE COAST.

Senator Squire Says We Are at the Mercy of Foreign Foes.

FORTRESSES SURROUND US.

Arizona's Statehood Bill Is Reported by the House Committee.

THE PACIGIC CABLE BOOMED.

Congressional Aid Will Be Extended by Liberal Subsidies.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Senator Morrill of Vermont, reached the age of 86 years today and the event was referred to in the opening prayer of the Chaplain, who spoke of the white-haired Senator as hale in body, clear, sound and vigorous in intellect, esteemed by his brother Senators, by his state and by the whole country. At the conclusion of the prayer, Morrill received congratulations from many of his associates.

Shortly after the session opened, Morrill announced that Thursday next he would speak of the necessity of additional quarters for the National Museum.

Squire, (Washn.), was then recognized for a speech on the need of coast defenses.

Squire said that all the evidence taken by the committee on coast defense is lamentable in the extreme. The defensive works are of a character incapable of resisting modern artillery. Evidence is overwhelming that in case of war our whole people would suffer immeasurably. He concluded: "We are encircled as a nation with a chain of foreign fortresses and coaling stations impervious to attack while our rich sea coast cities and ports, including San Diego, San Francisco, Portland and Puget Sound lay exposed and helpless against the attack of foreign powers that possess navies."

ENGLAND IS SILENT.

No Testimony Yet Placed Before the Venezuelan Commission.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Venezuelan Commission met today after a ten days' recess, with all the members present.

The time was consumed in reading reports from the individual members upon the progress they are making with particular matters of investigation entrusted to them.

Scruggs, consul for the Venezuelan Government, submitted forty maps and charts which are receiving consideration. He also had presented a few translations of documents included in a mass of evidence prepared at Caracas and transmitted to the Commission through Minister Andrade.

Word has come from London to the effect that the British Government is preparing a supplement to the Blue Book, containing translations of documents generally referred to in the first volume which is expected to reach Washington soon, but saving the presentation of the Blue Book, and even this came indirectly the British Government has so far failed to follow the example set by Venezuela and submit a formal case to the Commission and to accept the invitation to be represented by counsel.

IN ARIZONA'S FAVOR.

The House Bill Is Reported by the House Committee.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—At a special meeting of the House Committee on Territories today, the Arizona Statehood bill was ordered reported favorably to the House.

The vote stood five in favor and two against.

Those in the affirmative were: Republicans, Scranton, Perkins, Lefevre; Democrats, Turner and Cooper of Texas.

Those against were: Republicans, Hadley and Low.

Avery was paired with Knox and Harris was paired with Harrison.

Owens of Kentucky was present, but did not vote. The special meeting of the committee, he said, had been called for the purpose of hearing a report on the New Mexican Statehood bill. It was not proper that the Arizona Statehood measure should be taken up without warning, and while the members who opposed it were absent. His request that the matter go over to the next meeting was refused.

AN OLD SUIT.

Notwithsanding the tradition about the "relics of old decency," a seedy, time-worn or faded out of date suit often spoils the chances, and places at a great disadvantage an otherwise shrewd and intelligent man. One of Byron Rutley's finely tailored, perfect fitting and fashionable suits of clothes will place you in a position that will not only command the respect and admiration of all your friends and acquaintances, but will aid you greatly, both in a social and financial way.

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however, and he absented himself from the room while the vote was being taken.

WILLING TO AID.

Vote in Favor of a Subsidy for the Pacific Cable.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Nicaragua Canal and Hawaiian Cable questions were considered by the House Committee on Commerce today, but no votes were taken on any of the bills.

It was decided to dispose finally of the question of reporting the canal bill to the House a week from next Friday.

Meantime hearings may be continued, and probably some of the Government engineers will be called upon to give their views.

General Swayne, who represents the Pacific Cable Co. of New Jersey, of which Col. Spaulding of the Hawaiian Islands is president, made a statement to the committee in the interest of that company.

A resolution was adopted by a vote of ten to four, expressing the sense of the committee to be that the Government should aid by subsidy the construction of the Pacific Cable.

Neither of two rival companies competing for Government patronage were named in the resolution and no terms were suggested.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Amendments by the Senate Committee to the Sundry Civil Bill.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The Senate committee on public buildings and grounds has authorized favorable reports on the amendments to sundry civil bill, increasing the limit of cost for public buildings at Cheyenne, Wyo., from $150,000 to $250,000, and Boise City, Idaho, from $150,000 to $200,000 and Helena, Mont., from $150,000 to $300,000. An appropriation of $100,000 was made available in each case.

FROM OVER THE SEA.

An Ex-New Yorker Wins Quite a Victory In London.

English Society Gathers at the Newmarket Race Track.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 14.—Proceedings in the recriminatory petition brought by H. H. Marks, a member of Parliament for St. George's District against J. Williams Benn and all other proceedings in this famous election case, have been dropped. Benn withdraws his plea for a scrutiny of votes and pays Marks, who was formerly a New York newspaper man £1000 for satisfaction and costs.

RACING AT NEWMARKET.

NEW MARKET, England, April 14.—The Newmarket-Craven meeting commenced today.

In the race for the thirty eighth New Market biennial stakes, Leopold Rothschilds' Galeazzo won; Sir John J. Blundel Mapels Palaver, second; the Duke of Westminster's Attainment, third.

Next race, Fitzwilliam Plate, 500 sovereigns, Sir R. Waldie-Griffith's Princess Anne, won; Baron De Hirsch's Chantilly second; F. C. Glayton's All Moonshine, third.

Crawford Plate handicap—Andra Oswald's Mena, won; G. S. Revelt's Villager, second; Baron Hirsch's Sauterelle, third.

A MINING DISASTER.

DURHAM, April 14.—An explosion occurred in a colliery at Wellington. Eight miners are known to have been killed and it is believed eighteen persons will lose their lives through the disaster.

ROYALTY MOVING.

VIENNA, April 14.—The Emperor and Empress of Germany and suites arrived from Venice this morning.

FELL FROM A TRESTLE

A Passenger Train Wrecked on a Louisiana Line.

Eleven Persons Badly Hurt As a Result of the Storm.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW ORLEANS, April 14.—A train consisting of a combination baggage car, two day coaches and a sleeper plunged through a trestle on the Queen & Crescent road three miles above Vossburg this morning.

Reports of the wreck are meagre, but the latest information received is that six passengers were injured, one seriously.

The heavy rain storm which swept through Louisiana and Mississippi is responsible for the wreck.

The latest information received at this point is that eleven passengers were injured, one seriously.

Nothing is said of the train crew.

The injured are: C. H. Ball, address unknown; J. Petterich, Atlanta; R. L. Ohislow, Marion, Miss.; Mrs. James Snell and child, England; J. Isaacs, Ellisville, Miss.; Mrs. John Dymold, New Orleans; J. T. Bates, Slidell, La.; J. McCormick, Maridian, Miss.; S. C. Ferguson, Cincinnati; A. B. Avery, Hatchburg, Miss.

Like Reorganization.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The reorganization committee of the Oregon Short Line announce that 90 per cent of the bonds and a majority of the stock have assented to the plan.

THE PIPE MUST GO.

Councilman Buckland Talks About Eighth Street Bridge.

HIS RESOLUTION FAVORED.

The Contra Costa Company's Main Declared a Nuisance.

MILLER READY TO ACT.

The Instructions Will Be in His Hands Very Soon.

The committee took the first step last evening toward removing the water main and boxing of the Contra Costa Water Company from the Eighth street bridge, and the Street Superintendent will go to work on the job as soon as the resolution reaches him. The removal of the pipe has been a thing long talked of, but it remained for Councilman Buckland to introduce the resolution, and his colleagues supported it to a man.

"It must be removed the same as any other nuisance," said Mr. Buckland this morning. The bridge is to be repaired, and it must look first class. I introduced the resolution, and I intend to push it through. What the company will do with the pipe is more than I know. Other pipes have been laid under the mud, and I see no reason why this pipe should not be so laid. There is also the Alameda trestle. Let the company make arrangements with the railroad and transfer the main to its trestle.

"Will I vote to leave the pipe there if the company offers to pay towards the rebuilding of the bridge? No, sir. It ought to be removed, and I shall vote to have it done."

The resolution is now in the City Clerk's office, and, if he can get around to it, will be sent to the Board of Public Works this evening. There it is sure to have the Mayor's support, for he has advised that the Eighth street bridge be built of iron and steel, and have a draw and with the water main crossing it a draw bridge could not be operated. There is no reason why the Board should not instruct the Street Superintendent to carry out the resolution and when it gets to him here will be fun. The main conveys thousands of gallons daily, and if the company refuses to remove it, the only thing left for the street department to do will be to cut the pipe at each end of the bridge and proceed to carry out the Council's order.

WHAT MILLER WILL DO.

Street Superintendent Miller is waiting patiently for the resolution to come to him. "I never cross a bridge until I come to it," he said, "and I have received no official notice of the order yet. When it does come to me, however, I shall proceed as we do to abate other nuisances—that is, if I am not served with a restraining order, which will probably be the case."

Dr. Buckland thought of the restraining order before he drew up his resolution. "Let them come with it," he says. "We have the right on our side, and the sooner it comes the better, for it will settle the matter once for all."

THE MEEK MURDERS.

A Rehearing Is to Be Asked Before the Supreme Court.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

KANSAS CITY, April 14.—A special to the Star from Jefferson City, Mo., says:

Virgil Conkling, attorney for the Taylor brothers, murderers of the Meeks family, is here today to appear before the Supreme Court to ask for a rehearing in the case.

Conkling was asked today if he had a proposition looking to the surrender of Geo. Taylor to make to the court.

He replied: "I have no proposition such as that to make. I do not know where George Taylor is. I will simply ask for a rehearing.

Has Holmes Been Faking?

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PITTSBURG, April 14.—Insurance Inspector Gary, of the Fidelity Mutual Life of Philadelphia, in which Holmes's victim Pietzel was insured, says Holmes did not commit all the murders he confessed to. Kate Durke is in Omaha, Dr. Russell is in Michigan, Roma Van Fassant in Arkansas, and Robert Latimer in Chicago.

Illinois for McKinley.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WATSEKA, Ill., April 14.—The Republican Congressional Convention for the Fourteenth Illinois District met today and re-nominated Joseph G. Cannon for Congress. Resolutions were adopted instructing for McKinley.

A Paying Property.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The Anaconda Copper Mining Co. has declared a dividend of 62½ per cent per share, payable May 1st. This disbursement is at the rate of 10 per cent per annum. Future dividends will be declared semi-annually, in April and October.

A BURNING QUESTION.

People who value their lives and those of their children, and the safety of their homes, should buy Buswell's Brilliant Coal Oil. It comes in three grades. All absolutely safe; Brilliant 80c; Extra Brilliant 90c; Palace Brilliant $1.10 per can delivered.

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WANT TO PLAY TENNIS.

The Stanford Co-Eds Are After the Berkeley Girls Again.

Freshmen Decide After All to Decide In a Bourdon Burial.

BERKELEY, April 11.—The Stanford girls are very proud of their recent victory over the U. C. basket ball players and are now trying to arrange for an inter-collegiate tennis match with the U. C. players. Unfortunately the U. C. girls are not formed into a club and are not even regularly organized. The tennis courts have just been put in repair and the girls can begin practice now if they so desire. The best players among the co-eds are Miss McCleave, Miss Adeline Robinson, Miss Nash and Miss Maude Robinson. No arrangements have been definitely decided upon as yet for a match with Stanford as the girls are a little bit afraid of being defeated by the crimson.

WILL HAVE A BOURDON.

The Freshman class have finally decided to conform with old customs and have the usual bourdon celebration in spite of the strength of the Sophomore team. The date for the "Bourdon" has not been settled upon but class assessments are being collected and the affair will occur as soon as class finances warrant it. The Freshmen intend it to be a most glorious celebration even if they are finally overpowered in a "rush."

The "Bourdon" procession will march by all the fraternity houses which will be brilliantly illuminated for the evening's fun and end on the campus if the soph's permit.

GENERAL GOSSIP.

The review in honor of General Graham will take place on April 16th.

The Boating Association held a meeting last week and reported $316.25 received and $316.25 expenditure.

A meeting of the Athletic Association of the University of California is called for next Friday for the purpose of nominating officers for the ensuing year.

The Student Co-operative Association has elected the following board of officers for the ensuing year: Professors Haskell and Plehn, W. T. Jurgens '97, George Clark '98 and E. T. Clark '99.

Stanford athletes have very generously offered to enter the athletic contests held on May 2d for the purpose of raising funds for the proposed Eastern trip. The Berkeley boys feel very much gratified at the spirit shown by the Stanford athletes.

DIGGING UP BILLS.

The County's Charges Against the City Being Run Down.

This morning Auditor Whidden and County Expert Davis began the work of ascertaining how much money the city has collected from the county for the holding of preliminary examinations. They worked backward from the present time, examining all the warrants recorded in the Auditor's office as having been paid to the city. Up to about noon they had gone through the records as far back as 1889, and there they were compelled to stop, because it was in that year that the Auditor's office was established and beyond which time Auditor Whidden has no records. The Police Clerks in whose favor the warrants were drawn were Tom Crawford, the present incumbent of the office, Walter Lambert and W. S. O'Brien. The amounts varied, ranging from $66 for three months in 1893 to $174 for ten months in 1890.

It is estimated that if the county should be able to secure from the city all that it has paid out in this manner it would be saved the necessity of making extra provision to supply the money now demanded by settlers in the swamp land reclamation districts by whom claims have already been filed with the Supervisors.

A Bad Break-Down.

A pleasure party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Rogers and their three children, Frank Sanders of Berkeley and Mrs. Rogers' sister, Miss Emma Linquist of Adeline street, came to grief on the steep grade of the Moraga Valley road. The brake of the conveyance broke and the horses became unmanageable and threw the entire party into the road. Rogers who was dragged 100 feet, escaped with a few bad bruises. Mrs. Rogers and her children were unhurt and Sanders also escaped injury. Miss Linquist was the most severely injured, receiving a slight concussion of the brain and having several ribs broken. The injured were carried home by the Olsen brothers.

Charity Remembered.

Luceba E. Agard has filed a petition for the probate of the will of her mother, Hannah G. Noyes who died March 13th, in Los Angeles, leaving property in this State valued at $11,000. Her property will be divided among different charitable organizations on the death of Mrs. Agard. The following Oakland institutions were mentioned in the will. Young Men's Christian Association of Oakland, $1500; Young Women's Christian Association of Oakland, $1500; Kindergarten connected with the First Congregational Church, Oakland, $500.

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POLITICAL POINTERS.

Republican Ward Clubs Are Permanently Organizing for Work.

MANY CALLS ARE ISSUED.

Heavy Voting at Municipal Elections Throughout the State.

THE OPPOSITION TO M'KINLEY.

General Gleanings Regarding Doings of Party Generals.

(Secretaries of the political clubs of all parties are requested to send notices of meetings to the Tribune as soon as arranged. Address City Editor.)

Pursuant to notice the Republicans of the Fourth Ward met last evening at Montana Hall, Adeline Station and perfected the organization of a ward club by the election of H. A. Powell, President, W. D. Meritt and H. T. Bickell, vice presidents, and L. G. Wolff and and B. T. Coager, Secretaries.

There was a larger attendance than at any preliminary meeting for a number of years past, showing that the people of this district are waking up to the necessity of taking active part in the campaign.

The members were emphatic in their desire for primaries. The club adjourned to meet next Thursday evening in the banquet room of Montana Hall.

Third Ward Call.

At the meeting of the Third Ward Republican Club last night it was decided to participate in the primaries to be held Saturday and in consequence the club will meet this evening to select delegates.

A Fifth Ward Call.

The following circular has been issued by the Fifth Ward Republican Club:

The next meeting of the Old Fifth Ward Republican Club is postponed from Wednesday evening until Friday, April 17th, at 8 o'clock P. M., at Elite Hall. The report of the Conference Committee will then be presented and other matters of great importance will come before the club.

A full attendance is hoped for.

C. O. ALEXANDER, President.
ED. L. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Alameda Primaries.

In Alameda primaries will also be held. The regular Republican Club has issued the ultimatum to the Alameda Republican Club that unless an agreement is reached at the meeting of the latter on next Wednesday night for the holding of joint club primaries public primaries will be held on Saturday from 2 to 8 P. M.

The "Regulars" will meet on Thursday night and make arrangements for the primaries in either event. Should it be necessary for the "Regulars" to hold primaries the polling places will be as follows: First—At Linderman's, for the territory east of Walnut street. Second—At Bay station, for the territory between McPherson and Walnut streets. Third—At Holtz Hall for the territory west of McPherson street.

Regular Organization.

Charles Mautalen, Chairman of the Republican County Central Comittee is authority for the statement that the Committee will meet within two weeks for the purpose of organizing regular Republican clubs in each ward in the city, as well as in the outlying districts.

In speaking of the matter he has said: "In order to make everything regular it has been determined that a meeting of the Republican County Central Committee shall be called within two weeks for the purpose of organizing regular Republican Clubs in each ward in the city and in various outside districts. We will pass a resolution instructing the committeeman from each ward in the City of Oakland and from the various outside districts to organize clubs in their sections, the clubs that they organize to be recognized as the regular Republican Clubs of the district. The other clubs may continue to exist, if they wish, but they will not be recognized by the County Committee."

San Francisco Primaries.

The Republican primaries will be held in San Francisco tomorrow from 1 to 7 P. M.

A Lot of Elections.

City elections were held generally throughout the State yesterday.

At San Jose the election was quiet and only 3959 votes were cast with the following result for the principal offices:

For Mayor, Valentine Koch (D.) defeating E. F. Main, (R.) by 569 votes. J. N. Ewing (R and D.) was re-elected Treasurer by 200 majority. J. A. Kidward (R.) was re-elected Chief of Police, defeating E. R. Bailey (D.) by 1210. A. G. Bennett (R.) was re-elected Commissioner of Streets, defeating F. C. McKiernan by 228. There were six candidates in the field.

Elections were held in Healdsburg, Santa Cruz, Riverside, Colton, Redlands, Ontario, Red Bluff, Lakeport, Benecia, Ukiah, Auburn, Martinez, Redding, Willows, Watsonville, San Luis Obispo, Merced, Antioch, San Mateo, St. Helena, Stockton, Sonoma, Cloverdale, and San Jose.

At Riverside the Prohibitionists were victorious, as also at Redlands.

The Colton election resulted in a victory for the A. P. A.

Great interest was manifested in the election of city officers at Martinez yesterday and the largest vote ever polled in a city election was cast. The following trustees were elected: J. J. Anderson, W. A. Hale, W. R. Mathews, J. P. Barnard was elected Marshal.

The city election at Modesto passed off quietly, but a large vote was polled. All the candidates were independent, but the A. P. A. question was made quite an issue. None of the candidates who are generally considered members of the organization were elected. The Trustees elected are: Robert Elder, P. F. Morton, J. F. Tucker, and A. R. Jamison; City Clerk, W. A. Harder; Treasurer, James Johnson; City Marshal, R. D. Young. All those elected had majorities ranging from 100 to 150.

Larabee on Allison.

Ex-Governor William Larabee of Iowa arrived in San Francisco yesterday with his family. In speaking of the National political outlook he said:

"I understand there are a good many McKinley men in California," said he, "but we think we have a man who is in every way an excellent one for the high office, and we are sincerely desirous of his nomination.

"In Iowa everybody is for him; that is, all the Republicans are. Indeed, most of the Democrats are, too, and he would poll many a vote outside of his party. We are in favor of Senator Allison because of his long experience, sound Republicanism and general conservatism. He would, in my judgment, be a safe, progressive man, and would reflect honor on the nomination. He is something of a bimetallist, I believe, and was a member of the commission a few years ago."

The A. P. A. and McKinley.

The local members of the A. P. A. are naturally taking much interest in the dispatches announcing that their organization will oppose McKinley and in this connection a statement by the State President, B. F. Hudelson, is interesting, for in addition to his local office he is a member of the National Advisory Board. He says:

"A great deal has been said of late by representatives of the American Protective Association to indicate that the organization of which they are members has definitely announced its opposition to William McKinley as a Presidential possibility. The American Protective Association has made no such announcement in reference to McKinley or to any other aspirant for Convention honors. It will not officially declare its position until the eve of the Convention with whose work it is concerned. The Advisory Board, to which has been delegated the power of investigation and suggestion, has taken no action, and will not until the meeting in Washington May 12th. All assertions to the contrary, from whatever source they may emanate, are without authority and mean nothing more than the personal opinions of those who express them."

"The American Protective Association," he continued, "will take part in all the National Conventions and will have a large representation in each. My personal opinion is that the order at large will prefer Allison or Cullom to McKinley. In a discussion of McKinley the fact that his brotner is a Catholic will unquestionably play an important part in determining our position."

County Clerk Frank Jordan says: "Concerning the attitude of the American Protective Association toward McKinley for President I have only this to say: That the principles of the American Protective Association include the elevation of the standard of American citizenship, the protection and preservation of our free public school system, and the purification of American politics. I believe that McKinley is a representative American citizen and that he can and will favor those principles which the American Protective Association is anxious to see advanced."

George G. Baker, ex-State President, said: "The A. P. A. is divided at this time on the Presidential nominee for the Republican party. The National Advisory Board has the sole right to secure pledges from National candidates to public offices.

Prohibition Convention.

The eighth Prohibition National Convention, which will convene in Pittsburg next month, promises to be the most largely attended of any yet held by that party. The Pacific Coast will be particularly well represented. The California delegation as arranged for a special train to come right through. It will be handsomely decorated and be christened the California Prohibition special.

The candidates for the Presidency so far are Joshua Levering of Baltimore; C. E. Bentley of Lincoln, Neb.; George W. Bain of Lexington, Ky., and W. H. Thompson of Springfield, O.

In the East.

John Otis Humphrey who is a delegate to the National Republican Convention from the Seventeenth Illinois district and who is instructed for McKinley, has received the following telegram from Senator Cullom, referring to the Senator's candidacy: "I have not withdrawn and do not intend to withdraw."

"The Seventh District Republican Convention of Pennsylvania elected Hugh B. Eastburn and James B. Holland as national delegates and indorsed Senator Quay for President.

The First District Convention of Nebraska, elected L. L. Lindsay and H. L. Dovey delegates to the St. Louis Convention, and instructed them for McKinley. Congresman J. L. Strode was renominated.

Senator Ben Tillman of South Carolina reached Denver today en route for the coast. In an interview he said:

"Pressure at home and among the constituents of Congressmen and Senators and the necessity for progressive action has produced a great change. Men who would not speak to me in December are growing more chummy all the time. The outlook is altogether favorable for the Democratic Convention to be controlled by the free silver wing. The news at Washington is coming in from all the States. Senators and other free silver men report that we are going to be in control at Chicago."

McKinley will address the Methodist General Conference in Cleveland, Ohio, next month. He has been specially invited to speak and last night the invitation was accepted.

DR. LAW SUSTAINED.

Vestrymen Meet and Discuss the Recent Church Stories.

The Rector Says They Are All Due to a Few Meddlesome Spirits.

The vestrymen of the Church of the Advent held a meeting last night and expressed their unqualified approval of the Rev. Dr. Law and increased his salary. The vestry feel very much annoyed at some of the recent reports that have been circulated in regard to the parish, and have decided that the reports arise entirely from two or three persons who are trying to cause trouble and oust Dr. Law from his parish.

The vestry say that Dr. Law has done more for the church than any other rector, and that they will do all in their power to keep him. Furthermore, they assure him of their support and approval.

The entire trouble, it is claimed, is caused by a few meddlesome and conservative spirits, who think that any change means a disruption in the church. These few persons have been able to run every other minister to their entire satisfaction, and resent Dr. Law's firm stand as head of the parish. The church was never in a better condition than at present, being not only out of debt, but having $200 in the treasury.

Dr. Law has been advised by the vestrymen not to discuss the subject of church troubles at all, but in answer to questions he said today: "There has been no split or withdrawal of members from the parish. A few women who desired to run matters to suit themselves have been circulating reports detrimental to the church, but there was not a word of truth in their statements. The church has many more active and more public spirited women working for its welfare now than ever before. There is no danger of a split or any other internal disturbance."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A LONG-WINDED FIGHT

The Arroyo Valle Road Matter Is Now In the Courts.

It Was Started Fourteen Years Ago by County Clerk Jordan's Father.

There was a celebrated case up before Judge Ogden this morning and in it, in one way or another, hundreds of people in the Livermore valley are interested.

It is a suit to condemn a right of way for what is known as the Arroyo Valle road.

The proceedings leading up to this suit have been before the Board of Supervisors for years. Petitions have been heard, reports of reviews made, damages assessed, protests filed and, by way of showing their interest in the matter, people in the vicinity of Livermore have made several dozen trips to this city to see what the Supervisors would do in the premises.

The first man to petition for the road was the father of Frank C. Jordan, the present county clerk. He filed his petition fourteen years ago.

After innumerable delays the Supervisors finally adopted the report and recommendation of the viewers and allowed nominal damages to the executrix of G. W. Patterson, R. T. Pope, Mr. Allen, Mrs. Jordan, May Ives-Crocker and Kate May Dillon.

From this award the non-consenting land owners have appealed and the present suit is the consequence. The suit is being conducted for the county by District Attorney Snook and Mr. Crosby, who has been one of the most enthusiastic advocates of the road. Supervisor Bailey is also in attendance and watches the proceedings with the greatest interest.

Recently it was thought that a compromise could be effected with respect to the claims of Allen and Mrs. Jordan when it was announced that $1800 would be satisfactory to them in return for the land to be taken.

With respect to the claims of May Ives-Crocker and Kate May Dillon it was at first announced that they desired only $50. Since then they have demanded that the proposed roadway be fenced and, to do this, will cost from $350 to $700, according to the material that is used.

One of the most active opponents of the scheme is R. T. Pope.

The length of the proposed road is four miles and fifteen chains. It extends southerly from Livermore and, to quote Mr. Crosby, "would open up a section of the county provided with the finest climate, producing the best fruit and accommodating thirty ranches."

A number of witnesses were examined this morning, the testimony of some of whom showed that the damages allowed are inadequate and that in other instances some of the contestants could not reach the new road at all from their property.

SOMETHING IN STORE.

Chief Lloyd Says That He Has Another Case on Root.

The police have something in the background which is to be sprung on Root, so they claim. What it is they refuse to divulge. The Chief says it is a new case which they have recently heard of, but things are not in such a shape at the present time that a complaint can be made, and he fears that should Root know all about it he would put up bonds and skip out.

Root is now being held on two charges of misdemeanor for obtaining money by false pretenses from Hofstra, but the charges were only a subterfuge to hold him, and if the new case which the police talk of develops, they will probably be dismissed.

The misdemeanor cases were called in court this morning, and attorney Nusbaumer wanted them to be tried immediately. The prosecution was not ready, however, and they were set for trial before the court for tomorrow and Thursday. Root's attorney also asked for a reduction of the bail, $1000, but the request was denied.

Nusbaumer will be engaged in the Ghirardelli trial tomorrow, and attorney Reed will defend Root.

FELL TO HIS DEATH.

The Inquest Over John Aegerton Will Be Held Tonight.

The inquest on the remains of John F. Aegerton, the gardener, who was killed yesterday afternoon by falling from a tank frame in the rear of the house at 1165 Seventh street, will be held this evening at 8 o'clock.

Aegerton, with J. W. Underwood, George Barges and Joseph Grimmins, was engaged in taking down an old tank. He was standing on a small scaffolding thirty feet from the ground, knocking the hoops off the tank when he fell, receiving internal injuries from which he soon died.

The deceased was about 41 years of age and leaves two children, Margaret, aged 17 years, and Fred, aged 13.

FINALLY SETTLED.

A Supreme Court Decision in the Rose Case.

Attorney F. W. Fry has received notice that the Supreme Court has confirmed the decision of the Superior Court in the Rose case.

In 1891 Mrs. Rose commenced, through Attorney Fry, an action for divorce. The property involved was valuable, and when the Superior Court decided in her favor Manuel Rose, the defendant, appealed.

The case is now finally disposed of.

RALSTON CLUBS.

Arrangements Being Made for a Local Organization.

An enthusiastic meeting of members of the Ralston Health Club was held the other evening at the office of Dr. Childs in East Oakland for the purpose of organizing a local club.

Dr. W. H. Loomis presided. A committee was appointed to report at the next meeting on by laws. Dr. Childs was requested to address the next meeting setting forth the principles and aims of the Ralston Health Club and of the benefits to be derived from a local club. All Ralstonites are earnestly requested to attend and bring their friends with them. The next meeting was appointed for Saturday evening, April 25th, at 7:30 p. m. in Dr. Childs' office, corner of Thirteenth avenue and Twelfth street, East Oakland.

Our Mother's Mush is made in Oakland.

A Forgiving Wife.

Mrs. S. L. Stare, who had her husband arrested a short time ago for beating her, is now making endeavors to have him released.

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER.

Michael Ghirardelli's Case Is Up Before Judge Greene.

Exhibits Showing the Scene Where Felice Varni Was Killed.

The trial of Michael Ghirardelli for the murder of Felice Varni, near San Leandro, in December of last year, was started before Judge Greene in the Superior Court this morning.

There was a large crowd in attendance, but no more persons were allowed into the chamber than seats could be provided for. This was done in accordance with the orders of Judge Greene and as the consequence of a determination arrived at some time ago by his Honor.

As soon as court opened, the work of securing a jury was proceeded with. Chief Deputy District Attorney Church appeared for the prosecution. He will later be joined by District Attorney Snook, who was engaged today in condemnation proceedings in Judge Ogden's court.

The defendant is represented by attorney Nusbaumer.

Colonel T. F. Garrity is also an interested spectator. He is watching the case as counsel for Antonio Devencenzi and Lazaretti, both of whom are out on bonds as being parties to the crime of which Ghirardelli stands accused. Their trial will come off later.

A feature of the case is the large colored photograph of the scene of the murder and the surrounding country. This is the first time that a work of this kind was ever introduced into a trial in this city. It is an exact reproduction in miniature of the place where the crime was committed.

Besides the picture, there will be introduced a large plat showing the relative location of the residence and outhouses on the several surrounding ranches with reference to the scene of the crime.

The case was thoroughly gone into at the preliminary examination by the District Attorney, but the State will have a new witness in the person of Charles Tyrrell, who is now a Deputy County Assessor, who saw Ghirardelli near the scene of the murder on the day of the deed.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the following jurors had been selected: W. D. Thomas, John McRoe, James Suter, William Langstaff, M. T. Acton, M. Scheeline, George Meinecke, A. T. McLeod.

A recess was then taken while a special venire was being procured.

TOWN TOPICS.

A regular meeting of the Merchants' Exchange will be held this evening.

The Fabiola Fete Committee will meet this evening.

Anna W. Cushing, a native of Virginia, aged 76 years, died Sunday at her home, 922 Moss avenue.

Jacob Greenhood has recorded a deed transferring to Aline Greenhood lots 12, 20, and 21, in Wilcox Place, running northward from Twenty-first street, between Telegraph avenue and Broadway.

J. C. Andrade has been appointed administrator of the estate of Albino Andrade, deceased.

Died While Dressing.

Mrs. Mary Murphy of 661 Myrtle street died suddenly this morning from hemorrhage of the lungs. She retired last evening feeling well, and was not ill when she arose this morning, but before her toilet had been completed the hemorrhage suddenly attacked her, and she died before medical aid could be summoned. Mrs. Murphy was a native of Ireland, 60 years of age. The Coroner will hold an inquest.

Asks an Allowance.

On the 20th of this month the motion of Adele Rose that Frank Rose allow her alimony to the amount of $100 a month, will be heard in Judge Ogden's court. Mrs. Rose supports her request by showing that her husband owns a number of lots in Washington township, a livery business, with a number of horses and wagons. She also asks for an allowance of $500 as counsel fees.

A Change of Officials.

B. H. Fisher will succeed L. Wheeler as Superintendent of the Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway, on May 1st, Mr. Wheeler having tendered his resignation. Mr. Fisher was formerly assistant to Engineer Storey of the Valley Railroad.

Mrs. Con Crowley Is Dead.

Death has at last come to end the physical and mental troubles of Mrs. Con Crowley, wife of the well-known First Warder. She died at the county infirmary early this morning at the age of 48. Her death was occasioned by cancer.

The Delanoy Row.

Mrs. M. F. Delanoy of Alameda has brought suit against her husband, F. N. Delanoy, for the purpose of recovering $600 for six shares of stock in the Mutual Building and Investment Co., which she says she sold the defendant at his own request.

Do You Want Any Seeds?

Congressman Hilborn writes that all persons desirous of being furnished with seed from the Agricultural Department can be accommodated by notifying him immediately by postal card.

Christian Endeavor.

The ninth annual convention of the State Christian Endeavor Union will be held at San Jose, commencing May 14th and continuing three days. Alameda County will have a delegation of from 300 to 500.

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DIED.

PIVER—At Alameda County Infirmary, April 12, 1896, John Piver, aged 63, a native of Portugal.

CUSHING—In Oakland, April 12, 1896, Ann White Smith Cushing, a native of Virginia, aged 76 years.

SMITH—In Oakland, April 13, 1896, Catherine Smith, a native of Ohio, aged 55 years.

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A branch office of The Tribune has been opened in the stationery and embroidery store of Mrs. M. A. Cahill, 1215 New Broadway, near Fourteenth street. There small advertisements and subscriptions may be left. Advertisements will be received and published the same day up to 1:30 o'clock.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

XXX ENVELOPES, 10 bunches 35c; pound box superior note paper 25c; 5 quires extra heavy 25c box paper 10c, 15c; tints and linen 20c. Best tablets ever shown. Until April 1st. Prescott & Sargeant, stationers, 1057 Washington st., Blake block.

LARGE SACK KINDLING with every $1 purchase or over this week. April 6 to 11, and no questions asked. See them at H. Schellhaas. Great sale of furniture and household goods. 408 11th st.

RALSTON-KAFFEE is and is not coffee; Ralston-Kaffee has the aroma of coffee; Ralston-Kaffee is a nerve builder; Ralston-Kaffee is a breakfast delight. For information about Ralston-Kaffee address or call, Ralston-Kaffee Health Food Co., room 522, Central Bank bldg.

MARKET Station Ice Cream Parlors. Home made candies; ice cream made and delivered; bouillon 10c; chocolate and cakes 10c; 906 Seventh st.; Market street station.

RAG CARPET AND RUGS—Also silk portiers wove to order and for sale at lowest rates. G. Matthew, 709 5th st., bet. Castro and Brush sts., Oakland.

MRS. M. A. CAHILL—Stamping and embroidery, accordion knife pleating and pinking. Lessons given in fancy work. Stationery, calling cards. Employment office. Agency United States Laundry. 1215 Broadway.

NOTICE—To buyers of household goods. Patronize the old reliable firm of H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st. You will find goods just as represented. Our motto: "Do as you would be done by."

HAIR DRESSING PARLORS—New process facial steaming, shampooing, Mme. Demorest's face powder. Special price Thursday, facial steaming, 50c. Mrs. Minnie Allen, rooms 411-412 Central Bank building. Elevator.

NOTICE the display of household goods at H. Schellhaas' store, 20 per cent cheaper than former prices. If you are in want of a holiday present see us at 408 11th st.

OAK BOOK CASES—From $7 up; see the display of household goods at remarkably low prices at H. Schellhaas'. We are bound to reduce our enormous stock within the next few weeks. Bed lounges, all new, from $6 up. Crockery, glassware, stoves, from $6 up. 408 11th st.

ATTORNEYS.

A. A. MOORE JR.—Attorney and counsellor, with dist. att'y. Court House.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney-at-law, City Justices Court building, SE cor. Broadway and 8th sts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN. F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

HARRY A. MELVIN—Attorney-at-law; office of prosecuting att'y, City Hall.

Z. N. GOLDSEY—Attorney-at-law, No. 957 Broadway, rooms 1 and 2.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

WASTE & STETSON—Attorneys and counselors-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 13 and 14, Blake & Moffitt building, Oakland, California.

E. H. SHAW—Attorney-at-law, 906 Broadway, rooms 53 and 54.

GEORGE E. DE COLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of 9th st., Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law, 551 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 554½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SNOOK & CHURCH—Attorneys-at-law, room 3, dist. atty's office, Court House.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Washington st., near 14th st., gold locket, bearing name of "W. Lebrecht." Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning to 511 15th st.

WILL THE PERSON who took a package last Wednesday afternoon from Salinger's store return the same?

LOST—A Maltese cat. A reward of $2 will be paid if returned to 456 26th st.

LOST—Small purse, containing considerable money; leave at this office; suitable reward.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

CIDER—By the keg or dozen. Sold by M. J. Ryan, 520 5th st.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER depot; C. H. Kuche, proprietor, 468 12th st. Oakland; private entrance for ladies.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MRS. MAY—Genuine clairvoyant; born with a veil; a trustworthy friend to persons in danger or misfortune anxious to see their way out of trouble; not to be classed with untruthful pretenders and charlatans; fees reasonable; advice on business matters a specialty; letters answered. 515 8th st.

MUSICAL.

BALDWIN & DURANT, banjo, mandolin and guitar. 4 lessons, 1 per week, $4; 8 lessons, 2 per week, $6; instruments furnished pupils free to take home. Studio, 1002½ Broadway, room 13.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

MRS. CATTELL—525 8th st.: German, Scandinavian and all nations, male or female referenced cooks, second girls, nurses, waitresses, coachmen, gardeners, etc., awaiting work. Telephone 543.

A THOROUGHLY honest, competent German girl wishes a situation for general housework; good cook; best of references. 517 Ninth st.

GIRL would like place to do the cooking and general housework; best of references. Please call 864 Clay st.

A YOUNG LADY would like to do plain dressmaking or family sewing by the day. Address M. L., Box 3, this office.

SITUATION WANTED—As dressmaker, to families; cutting and fitting by the day. C. B., 821 Myrtle st.

NEAT young girls wishes position to do housework; references. Call 505 16th st.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A young girl for light housework; small family; wages $12. Apply in forenoon at 260 E. 15th st.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

MRS. CATTELL—525 8th st.; German, Scandinavian and all nations, male or female referenced cooks, second girls, nurses, waitresses, coachmen, gardeners, etc., awaiting work. Telephone 543.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—$20; black walnut desk. Apply to Janitor, Blake & Moffitt building.

TWO SAMPLE UPRIGHT PIANOS, large size, latest pattern, oak and walnut cases; $175 cash. Clark Wise & Co., 1108 Broadway.

WATERING cart for sale cheap, 475 gallons. Miller & Butler, Webster street wharf.

FOR SALE—Furniture of four nicely furnished rooms, will sell in piece or whole. 556 6th st., Oakland.

SIX Good Second Hand Upright Pianos from $50 to $200; terms, $10 cash and $5 per month. Apply at Girard Piano Co., 11th and Broadway.

NEW and second hand Pianos at a great bargain; easy monthly payments. Call and examine and see the new $190 Piano the admiration of all musicians, at Girard Piano Co., Central Bank Building, cor. 14th and Broadway.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One Hallet & Davis square piano, American sewing machine, 4 burner gasoline stove, folding bed, carpets, etc. Address 920 Henry st.

FOR SALE—At reduced rates; lamps of all descriptions and styles; oil stoves, 75 cents up. Have you seen our 50 cent lamp and heater combined? Just the thing for a sick room. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central block, 1068 Broadway, Oakland.

J. MAHER, M. D.—Physician and surgeon 1068 Broadway; hours 2 to 3:30, 7 to 8.

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A BLESSING—To ladies; instant relief for monthly irregularities (from whatever cause), longest established and most experienced ladies' physicians in San Francisco, who restore all cases at once by an improved and painless method, superior to all others; ladies who are sick or in trouble will save time and money and be assured of honest treatment by consulting the doctors before calling elsewhere; patients who have been imposed upon or unsuccessfully treated by others especially invited. Board and skillful attention during confinement in private house where ladies will find all the comforts and privacy of a refined home, with the attendance of a regular physician, competent nurses and a mother's careful and kindly supervision; all treatment warranted; advice free; and confidential. Dr. and Mrs. Davies, 14 McAllister st., San Francisco, hours 10 A. M. to 4 and 7 P. M. to 8 P. M.

DRS. C. C. & G. W. O'DONNELL—Office and residence, 701 Washington st., near Kearney, and 765 Market st., San Francisco; office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. and 7 to 8 P. M.; particular attention paid to diseases of women and children.

DENTISTS.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

C. K. MARSHALL—1118 Broadway; notary public and general real estate. House renting a specialty.

GEO. B. M. GRAY—Real estate broker; houses rented and built, 463 9th st.; telephone No. 224.

F. C. WATSON—Real estate broker, 463 9th st.

A. J. SNYDER & CO—Real estate, houses built for sale on installment plan and to rent, 467 9th st.

W. L. PRATHER—Real estate, notary public, insurance broker, 478 10th st.

JAMES S. NAISMITH—Real estate broker and notary public. Tel. 478 463 9th st.

J. W. MOSS—Real estate, notary public; money to loan. 958 Broadway, bet. 9th and 10th sts.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.

FURNITURE, carpets, ranges, and all household goods cheap for cash. People's Furniture Store, 421 and 423, Sixth St.

FOR SALE—Four good Brussels carpets. Inquire at 920 Brush st.

FANCY ROCKERS—All prices and grades, tables, chairs and fancy goods for presents; come and see us. H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.

NOTARY PUBLICS.

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REMOVED—N. W. Winton, notary public and dealer in real estate, has removed to 958 Broadway between 9th and 10th. Call and see his list of properties.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in sums to suit; mortgages bought and sold; prime bargains in real estate; houses to rent. D. F. McDonald & Co., 463 9th st., Oakland.

TO LOAN—By private party, $20 to $5000 on good security. Address A, box 3, Tribune office.

OAKLAND COLLATERAL Loan Co., 925 Broadway, near 9th st.; liberal advances on diamonds, watches, jewelry, silverware, pianos, guns.

DRESSMAKERS.

THE ORLEANS millinery and dressmaking parlors, 121 Telegraph av.; patterns cut to tailor measurement. Mme. Du Shane.

OCULISTS.

OCULIST—Dr. Kohlmoos, Central Bank building, corner 14th and Broadway, rooms 420-422; hours, 9 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 P. M.

MONEY WANTED.

$1500 WANTED—For one year; satisfactory security; 9 per cent interest. Address A. H. Breed & Co., 460 Ninth street, Oakland.

Oakland Bicycle Dealers.

ADLAKE and HUMBER Bicycles. Hoag & Ferguson, 390 San Pablo avenue, cor. Seventeenth.

BEAUTIFUL BARNES. Starratt Bros., Agents, 422 Twelfth street, Oakland.

HALLADAY AND WOLFF wheels. Barratt and Dyer, 516 Twelfth street.

McCUNE Bicycles, A. and M. Schleuter, Agents, 9th and Washington.

LINDSAY $60 Special; a select mount. F. J. Arnold, 522 Telegraph avenue.

RAMBLER BICYCLE for sale and rent. Geo. A. Faulkner, cor. 12th and Webster streets.

SPALDING, Columbus, Ohio, Credenda, Bicycles. New wheels to rent. 302 12th street.

STERLING and Red P. Bagget, MUNGER Cycles 704 Broadway

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

TWO SUITES, furnished, for light housekeeping. Apply "Victoria," 861½ Clay.

TWO NICE FRONT ROOMS and kitchen furnished for housekeeping, in private family, $10. No. 559 17th st., near San Pablo ave.

TWO nice furnished rooms for light housekeeping; rent $10; central location, 461 Ninth st., between Broadway and Washington st.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; every convenience for housekeeping. Apply 517 Ninth st.

A SUIT of nice sunny bay window rooms, also fine rooms suitable for housekeeping, with new furniture. Inquire at 843 Webster street.

FLATS TO RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished flat of seven rooms. Inquire at 756 Thirteenth st.

$7.50—Four room sunny flats, central location; good condition, for particulars; call at the premises, 886 Lydia st.

HOUSES TO RENT.

COTTAGE, six rooms, all modern conveniences; new range, cheap. 364 Second st.

FOR RENT—A good modern cottage of five rooms and bath, with four acres ground under cultivation; suitable for chicken ranch; situated in Fruitvale, close to electric line. For further particulars, apply to William J. Dingee, 460-462 Eighth st., Oakland.

FOR RENT—A modern sunny 8 room house newly painted and papered throughout, centrally located; a good range all set up, goes with the house. Rent reduced. For particulars apply to C. K. Marshal, 1118 Broadway or 1080 Webster st.

$12—TWO story, five sunny rooms, and bath 1694 7th st.

OFFICES AND ROOMS TO RENT.

FOR RENT—Three fine suites suitable for offices. Apply 1116 Washington st.

FOR RENT—Elegant office or desk room. Apply room 6, Macdonough building.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One of the best lodging houses in Oakland; very public location; other business cause of sale. J. D., Box 2, this office.

HOUSES built; easy terms; best locations. Alden & Kronenberg, 902 Brdwy.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, house of nine rooms, lot 25x105 feet; price $800. Inquire at 563 7th st.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO RENT.

TO LET—Handsomely furnished house of nine rooms, very desirable. 1211 Seventh ave., East Oakland.

FOR RENT—The owner, without family, of an 8 room modern 2 story house, carpeted and kitchen stove; would like a quiet family to rent part with her; if agreeable could board with them. Enquire in forenoon at 316 East 10th st., or Albert Schmidt, 620 East 12th st., East Oakland.

ROOMS AND BOARDING WANTED

WANTED—Immediately, sunny large unfurnished room, centrally located; fair rent. Address L., Box 1, this office.

LADY wants room and board in private family, near narrow gauge; reasonable; address C, box 3, this office.

$7,000—Fine suburban home of 4 acres, choice part of Claremont, residence of 9 rooms and stable, and all outhouses, variety of fruit, flowers and shrubberies. Must be sold to save foreclosure. See this. Laymance, No. 466 Eighth stret. 268B

$1,650—Cheap cottage of five rooms, rent $13; Ninth street near Jackson, lot 25x75; bank mortgage $1,000; can remain. Laymance, No. 466 Eighth st. 204

$3,000—Two cottages, rent $30 per month in West Oakland, will exchange for lodging house, well located. Laymance's office, No. 466 Eighth st. 22E

Special—An unequaled bargain in choice, unimproved corner lot on Market st., close in, as whole or in subdivisions. Absolutely must be sold at once. Laymance's Office, No. 466 Eighth st. 193

$1,500—Choice residence lot on Peralta street, 45 feet frontage, near Ninth st. Laymance's Office, No. 466 Eighth st. 44

$1,750—New modern cottage, 6 rooms and stable, lot 80x125, Piedmont Glen Echo tract, easy terms, Laymance's Office, No. 466 Eighth street. 275

$17,500—One of the most beautiful located homes in Fruitvale, general surroundings unequalled, choice grounds and fine shrubberies; also large residence of 12 rooms, always held at $25,000; to be sold at a bargain to close an estate. Further particulars and permission to see property, apply at office, Laymance's Office, No. 466 Eighth street. 320

$2,250—Bargain. Lot 50x100, with cheap cottage of five rooms, near Sixteenth and West. Laymance, No. 466 Eighth st. 126

$800 and $1000 each; bargains for three inside, and one corner lot located within four blocks of Eighth and Broadway. Just the location for a home. Sunny side of street. Laymance, No. 466 Eighth street. 176

WANTED—Oakland property, improved and unimproved, to exchange for country property in most every county in the State. Ranging in price from $2000 to $50,000. Parties who are desirous of exchanging their property for country property will do well to list with us a full description of the same, as we have a fine list to trade. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., No. 466 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal.

EXCHANGES.
Please take note that we have a large list of customers who have good choice clear property, improved and unimproved that they will give in exchange for good properties and assume a mortgage. Parties having desirable encumbered properties will do well to list same with us.

LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, No. 466 Eighth Street Oakland Cal.

REAL ESTATE.

LINDA VISTA TERRACE

CHOICE RESIDENCE LOTS IN THIS SIGHTLY AND ELIGIBLE LOCATION AT VERY MODERATE PRICES

LINDA VISTA TERRACE HAS EVERYTHING TO RECOMMEND IT AS THE MOST DESIRABLE OF RESIDENCE LOCALITIES—HIGH, SIGHTLY LOTS, PERFECT SANITATION, A DRY, HEALTHFUL ATMOSPHERE; RAPID AND FREQUENT ELECTRIC STREET CAR SERVICE, CLOSE PROXIMITY TO TOWN—ONLY 8½ MINUTES TO FOURTEENTH AND BROADWAY—FINE SURROUNDINGS AND WELL ESTABLISHED VALUES. IN ORDER TO PUSH TO COMPLETION THIS SEASON THE WORK OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS, A FEW LOTS WILL BE OFFERED AT SPECIAL PRICES. NO CHOICER HOME SITE CAN BE SECURED IN OAKLAND, AND NO BETTER OPPORTUNITY THAN THE PRESENT WILL BE FOUND TO PURCHASE.

FOR MAPS, PRICES AND PARTICULARS OF LINDA VISTA TERRACE APPLY TO HERON & HOLCOMB, 1050 BROADWAY, OAKLAND. COR. ELEVENTH ST.

The attention of builders is especially invited to the following
TEN LOTS ON WALLSWORTH AVE.
30 feet front each—at $15 per front foot, on easy terms; or will sell separately; all within the city; streets recently macadamized and sewered; electric cars pass the block.
ON HAMILTON PLACE AND LINDA VISTA,
At $20 to $25 per foot.
On Magnolia, Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, at from $12 to $22 per foot.
In the center of the city, at from $55 to $75 per foot.
Apply to
W. E. BARNARD & SON,
458 Ninth street.

A. J. SNYDER & CO.
467 Ninth Street.
!! THINK OF IT !!
A HOUSE of 5 rooms, one block from Telegraph av., lot 50x100, can be bought for $700; large tank house; shingled, and first class in every way; house in good repair; can you do better? For further particulars apply to A. J. Snyder & Co., 467 Ninth street.

FOR SALE—2 acres good land in the Town of Elmhurst, only a couple of blocks from electric power house; can be cut into lots worth $250 each; price $1400 ½ cash balance in installments.

A. J. SNYDER & Co.
467 Ninth street.

CITY REAL ESTATE UNIMPROVED

$100—LOTS for sale, on installment without interest, near local trains and electric cars. H. B. Pinney, 902 Broadway, Oakland.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

PLEASANT home near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table. 156 E. 12th st., cor. 3d av.

PIANO TUNERS.

R. F. HORNING for fourteen years with A. Bruenn, the only piano maker in Oakland; repairing a specialty. 1059 Franklin bet. 11th and 12th sts.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS.
WHEAT—The Arthur Fitger takes for Cork 42,000 ctls, valued at $46,653.
Quotations are steady, with a fair business. No. 1, $1.07½@1.10; choice, $1.11¼; lower grades, $1@1.06¼; extra choice for milling, $1.15@1.20.

CALL BOARD SALES.
Informal Session—10 o'clock—December—100 tons, $1.08½; 300, $1.08⅝.
Regular Morning Session—December—100 tons, $1.08⅝; 100, $1.08¾. May—200, $1.08¼.
Afternoon Session—No sales.
BARLEY—Shipment of 15,086 ctls Brewing, valued at $13,577, to Cork.
During the three months ended March 31 the shipments of Barley from this port by sea amounted to 473,791 ctls, valued at $379,219. During the same time last year, the shipments only amounted to 44,651 ctls, valued at $36,143.
The general tone is firm. Feed, 68¾@71¼c per ctl, choice, 72½@73¼c per ctl; Brewing, 80@85c.

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FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.
FLOUR—Net cash prices are as follows: Family extras, $3.75@3.85; Bakers' extras, $3.55@3.65; superfine, $2.75@3 per bbl.
CORNMEAL, ETC.—Feed Corn, $20@20.50, Cracked Corn, $21 per ton.
MILLSTUFFS—Prices in 10-lb sacks are as follows; usual discount to the trade; Graham Flour, 2¾c; Rye Flour, 3½c; Rice Flour, 7½c; Cornmeal, 2¾@3c; extra cream do, 3½c; Oatmeal, 3¼c; Oat Groats, 4½c; Hominy, 4@4½c; Buckwheat Flour, 4c; Cracked Wheat, 3½c; Farina, 4½c; Whole Wheat Flour, 3c; Rolled Oats, 4½c; Pearl Barley, 4½c; Split Peas, 4¾c; Green do, 5¼c per lb.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.
BRAN—$14@14.50 per ton.
MIDDLINGS—$17@18 per ton for lower grades, and $18.50@19.50 per ton for the best.
FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled Barley, $16@16.50; Oilcake Meal at the mill, $20 per ton; Jobbing, $21; Cottonseed Oilcake, $21 per ton.
HAY—Is weak at the old prices. Wheat, $8@11.50 per ton; Oat, $8@8; Wheat and Oat, $8@11; Barley, $7@8; Alfalfa, $7@8; Clover, $6@8.50; Compressed, $7@10.50; Stock, $6@7 per ton.
STRAW—35@55c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.
BEANS—Bayos, $1@1.10 per ctl; Small Whites, $1.12½@1.50; Pea, $1.10@1.40 per ctl; Large Whites, $1@1.15 per ctl; Pink, 90c@1.10; Reds, $1.25; Blackeye, nominal; Red Kidney, $1.75; Limas, $2.45@2.60; Butters, $1.60@1.70.
SEEDS—Brown Mustard is quotable at $1.50@2.25 per ctl; Trieste, $2@2.50; Yellow Mustard, $1.40@1.50; Flax, $1.70@1.80; Canary, 2¾ per lb; Alfalfa, 7½@9½c per lb; Rape, 2½c per lb; Hemp, 3½c per lb.
DRIED PEAS—$1.25@1.40 per ctl for Niles and $1.25@1.45 for green.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.
POTATOES—New are lower, but old rule firm. New Potatoes, 75c@$1; River Burbanks, 25@35c per sack; Oregon Burbanks, 35@70c per ctl; Oregon Garnet Chiles, 70@85c; Early Rose, 30@40c; Petalumas and Tomales, 40@50c per sack; Humboldt Burbanks, 50@65c per ctl.
ONIONS—The few good onions here are held at $2 per ctl, and some have sold even higher.
VEGETABLES—Arrivals were 656 boxes Asparagus and 329 boxes Rhubarb and 517 sacks Peas.
There was not much change yesterday. There is a demand for Marrowfat Squash, but there is none here.
Egg Plant, 12½c per lb; Summer Squash, ——; Mexican Tomatoes, $1.50@2.50 per box; Cucumbers, 50c@$1 per doz; Asparagus, $1.25@2.25 per box for ordinary and $2.50 for extra; Rhubarb, 35@75c; Dried Peppers, 10@12½c; Green Peppers, 12½c; Green Peas, 2@2½c per lb; String Beans, 8@10c; Dried Okra, 12½c; Cabbage, 40c per ctl; Garlic, 5@6c per lb; Marrowfat Squash, —— per ton.

POULTRY AND GAME.
POULTRY—Monday is always an off day, and there was nothing doing. Live Turkeys are quotable at 15@16c per lb for Gobblers, 15@16c per lb for Hens; Dressed Turkeys, 17c per lb; Geese, per pair, $1.50@2; Ducks, $4.50@6 per doz for old and $3@3 for young; Hens, $4@4.50; Roosters, young, $3@3; do, old, $4.25@5; Fryers, $6.50@7; Broilers, $5.50@6 for large, and $3.50@4.50 for small; Pigeons, $1.50@1.75 for young, and $1.50@1.75 for old.
GAME—Hare, 75c@$1 per dozen; Rabbits, $1.25 for Cottontails and $1 per doz for small.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.
BUTTER—Quotations were a fraction weaker again yesterday, and the market was well stocked.
Creamery—Fancy, 14c; seconds, 13@13½c per lb.
Dairy—Fancy, 12½c@13c per lb; good to choice, 12c; lower grades, 11@11½c.
Eastern—Nominal.
CHEESE—Prices are rapidly declining and supplies are rapidly increasing. Fancy Mild, new, 9c; common to good, 7@8½c; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 9@10c; Western, 10@11c; Eastern, 12@14c.
EGGS—The market was quite firm yesterday at a further advance. Oregon Eggs sold at 12c. Store Eggs, 11½@12½c; Ranch Eggs, 12½@13½c; Duck Eggs, 15c per doz.
DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.
Reports from several prominent Cherry districts say that the crop will be small, owing to the recent frosts.
APPLES—$1.50@2 per box for good to choice; $1@1.25 for common to fair, and $2.25@2.50 for fancy.
BERRIES—Receipts of Strawberries were 107 chests, selling at $7@10 per chest for Longworths and $3@6 for large berries.
CITRUS FRUITS—Oranges are weaker, 16 cars having come in quoted at $1.25@1.50 for Seedlings; $2.25@3.50 for Navels, and $2@3 for Malta Bloods; Lemons, 75c@$1.50 for common and $2@2.50 for good to choice; Mexican Limes, $5.50@6; California Limes, $1; Bananas, $1@2 per bunch; Pineapples are nominal; a few in bad condition have been received.

PROVISIONS.
No change in any description.
CURED MEATS—Bacon, 6c per lb for heavy; 7c per lb for light medium; 8c per lb for light, 10c for extra light and 12c per lb for sugar cured; Eastern Sugar Cured Hams, 11½c; California Hams, 10c per lb; Mess Beef, $8 per bbl; extra mess do, $8.50; family do, $10; extra prime Pork, $9 per bbl; extra clear, $14 per bbl; mess, $13 per bbl; Smoked Beef, 10c per lb.
LARD—Eastern tierces is quoted at 6¼c per lb for compound and 6¾c for pure; pails, 7½c; California tierces, 6c for compound and 6½c for pure; half bbls, 7¼c; 10-lb tins, 8c; do, 5-lb, 8¼c per lb.
COTTOLENE—6¾c in tierces and 7¾c per lb in 10-lb tins.
GENERAL MERCHANDISE.
BAGS—Calcutta Grain Bags, June-July delivery, $4.25; San Quentin, $4.20; Wool Bags, 24@26c.
COAL—Wellington, $8 per ton; New Wellington, $8 per ton; Southfield Wellington, $7.50 per ton; Seattle, $5@5.50; Bryant, $5.50; Coos Bay, $4.50; Wallsend, $6.50; Scotch, $7.50; Brymbo, $7.50; Cumberland, $13.50 in bulk and $15 in sks; Pennsylvania Anthracite Egg, $13; Welsh Anthracite Egg ——; Cannel, $8; Rock Springs, Castle Gate and Pleasant Valley, $7.60; Coke, $10.50 in bulk and $12.50 per ton in sacks.
SUGAR—The Western Sugar Refinery Company quotes terms net cash: Cube, Crushed, Powdered and Fine Crushed, all 6¾c; Dry Granulated, 6¾c; Confectioners' A, 6¾c; Magnolia A, 6⅜c; Extra C, 5c; Golden C, 4¾c; half barrels, ¼c more than barrels, and boxes ½c more.
SYRUP—Golden, in bbls, 15c; Black Strap, 10c per gal.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.
Wholesale rates for dressed stock from the slaughterers are as follows:
BEEF—First quality, 5½c; second quality, 4½@5c; third do, 3½@4c per lb.
VEAL—Large, 5@6c; small, 6@7c per lb.
Mutton—Wethers, 6c; Ewes, 5½c per lb.
LAMB—Spring Lamb, 7c per lb.
PORK—Live Hogs, 3¼@3¾c per lb for large and 3¾@4c for small; dressed do, 5½@6¼c per lb.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED.
MONDAY, April 13.
U S stmr Thetis, Knox, 5 days from San Diego.
Nic stmr Costa Rica, McIntyre, 92 hours from Departure Bay; 2350 tons coal, to R. Dunsmuir & Sons.
Stmr Washtenaw, Croscup, 11 days 3½ hours from Panama; ballast, to P. M. S. S. Co.
Stmr Rival, Johnson, 15 hours from Fort Bragg; lumber, to Samuel Blair.
Stmr Crescent City, Allen, 35 hours from Crescent City; pass and mdse, to Hobbs, Wall & Co.
Stmr Noyo, Levinson, 14 hours from Fort Bragg, pass and mdse, to J. S. Kimball.
Stmr Corona, Hall, 64 hours from San Diego and way ports; pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.
Stmr Albion, Lundquist, 60 hours from Carpenteria; 657 bbls asphaltum, to J. O. Jackson.
Stmr National City, Andresen, 60 hours from San Diego; pass and mdse, to C. A. Hooper & Co.
Schr Bender Bros, Thompson, 24 hours from Mendocino; 95 M ft lumber, to Mendocino Lumber Co.

CLEARED.
MONDAY, April 13.
Stmr St. Paul, Leland, San Pedro; Goodall, Perkins & Co.
Stmr Empire, Anderson, Astoria; N. P. S. S. Co.
Stmr Umatilla, Hunter, Victoria and Port Townsend; Goodall, Perkins & Co.
Ship Louisiana, Halcrow, Bristol Bay; Alaska Packers' Association.
Bark Harry Morse, Lane, Bristol Bay, Alaska Packers' Association.
Bktn Arago, Remmers, Vladivostock; Hawley Bros. Hardware Co.
Schr Prosper, Schroeder, Shin Point; Alaska Packers' Association.
Schr Emma and Louise, Nelsen; Cooks Inlet; James J. Wakefield.

SAILED.
MONDAY, April 13.
Stmr State of California, Ackley, Astoria.
Stmr St. Paul, Leland, San Pedro.
Stmr Bonita, Smith, Port Harford, etc.
Stmr Empire, Anderson, Astoria.
Bktn Arago, Remmers, Vladivostock.

TELEGRAPHIC.
POINT LOBOS, April 13—10 P. M.—Weather thick; wind S; velocity 12 miles.

MOVEMENTS OF TRANS-ATLANTIC STEAMERS.
NEW YORK—Arrived Apr 13—Stmr Amsterdam, from Rotterdam; stmr Saale, from Bremen and Southampton.
COPENHAGEN—Arrived out Apr 13—Stmr Island.
HAMBURG—Sailed Apr 13—Stmr Palatia, for New York.
ANTWERP—Sailed Apr 13—Stmr Westernland, for New York.
GIBRALTAR—Passed Apr 13—Stmr Fulda, from Mediterranean ports, for New York.
ISLE OF WIGHT—Passed Apr 13—Stmr Aachen, from Bremen, for New York.

Odds and Ends
In crockery, at H. Schellhaas.

DANGER IN WATER.

Why People Should Be Careful What They Drink Especially at This Time of Year.

"Do you know that there is a dangerous poison in half the water we drink!"

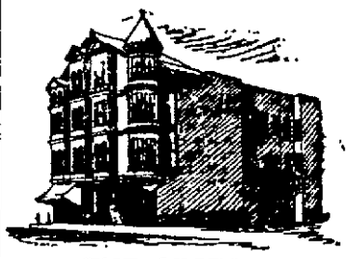
It was an eminent professor of natural science who recently made this startling remark. "I am only stating a fact," he continued, "when I assert that in the springtime nearly all our drinking water contains traces of poisonous vegetable or animal matter. We drink this water, the poison gets into our systems, and it is largely the cause of so many people feeling weak, worn out and sickly at this season.

"Do I recommend boiling the water? No, I do not, for while that may kill the disease germs, it does not remove them. A far better way is to use pure whiskey with it. The best physicians in America unhesitatingly declare this, but—and bear this most carefully in mind—it must be pure whiskey, for impure whiskey is worse than impure water."

The professor is certainly right, and he might have appropriately added that scientific men are also fully agreed that no whiskey used in America today is so chemically pure or so free from fusel oil as Duffy's pure malt. It has successfully stood the rivalry of all other whiskies. Why? Simply because it has done wonders for people who needed strength, vigor and vitality. Thousands testify to the great benefit derived from taking it. Leading physicians say it is undoubtedly the best thing for counteracting the evil effects of poisonous water. They also endorse it as the best remedy for tired feelings and spring weakness. As there are many inferior imitations of Duffy's pure malt, care should be taken, when purchasing, to see that none of these is substituted by the dealer.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Congregational Church—Mormon Choir.
Oakland—"Streets of New York."
Baldwin—"Beau Brummell."
California—"The Night Clerk."
Columbia—"Pudd'nhead Wilson."
Morosco's—"Michael Strogoff."
Tivoli—"Blue Beard."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Alcazar—"Cad, the Tomboy."

PICNICS.

April 19—County Litrum Social Club.

TUESDAY.....APRIL 14, 1896.

Li Hung Chang has placed some of his financial anchors to the windward. The viceroy has placed a considerable part of his vast fortune in Europe. When his peacock feather and his yellow jacket is taken away the next time, it will be comfortable for the old statesman who blundered in the war with Japan to fall back on twenty or thirty millions snugly placed abroad.

The school census recently taken in Chicago is the basis for an estimate of the population made by the Record.

"The census of 1894 showed a total population of 1,567,727. Taking the percentage of increase for one of the fairly representative wards of the city and applying it to the whole population an estimate based on the present census, as far as it has been completed, would show a total of about 1,715,000. But it is the testimony of those in charge of the work that this is an underestimate, and there is every likelihood that in the final count Chicago will have proof that it has 1,750,000 inhabitants."

Judge Horton of Chicago recently scored a man to some purpose who had been summoned for jury duty. The man gave as a reason for his disqualification that he was not a citizen of the United States.

"How long have you been here?" inquired Judge Horton.

"Twenty years," answered the man.

"What did you come here for?"

The foreigner failed to respond.

"You are excused," resumed the court. "If I had my way about it, you would not remain in this country twenty minutes. Been here twenty years and not naturalized!"

The New York Journal of Commerce reports the total loss by fires for the last month in the United States and Canada at $14,839,600, against $14,239,300 in 1895 and $9,147,100 in 1894. The total for February was $9,730,100, against $12,360,200 in 1895, and $11,297,600 in 1894. The aggregate for three months ended with March was as follows:

1894	$31,013,100
1895	38,195,100
1896	35,609,700

During March there were 253 fires involving a loss of $10,000 or more, the largest conflagration having been in Minneapolis, where an $800,000 grain elevator was burned.

This joke come from Philadelphia, and is supposed to be the only one that has come from that source in many years. It is in the Record:

A school ma'm there took an ordinary globe, showing China opposite the United States, and, pointing to the portion containing the United States, asked her class where she would come out if she were to start from Philadelphia and go straight through the earth. At first there was no answer, but finally a grimy hand was held up. "Well, David," she asked, "where would I come out if I should go straight through the earth from here?" The silence was thickening every moment, until finally came the response, "Please, Miss Maud, you would come out of the hole." And then the class in geography was dismissed.

Now they want a bridge across the Detroit river from that city to Canada. A bill is before Congress to authorize the construction. The Inter-Ocean makes the case for the petitioners.

"Nor do we apprehend any obstruction to lake commerce from the construction of such a bridge as is contemplated. Its spans will be 1,100 feet in width, of which 600 are on the United States side. Nearly all the up-stream commerce now hugs the Canadian shore and nearly all of the down-stream freight keeps on the United States side. These conditions are not likely to be changed by any bridge building. The altitude of the proposed bridge is 140 feet in the clear. It is doubtful if the masts of any vessel now afloat on the lakes will come within twenty feet of this; and it is to be kept in mind that year by year high-masted sailing vessels yield more to the steamship."

What Follows the Driebund.

It was a foregone conclusion some months ago, that Italy would enter the Driebund for another six years. The complaint formerly made is not heard now; that the burden was too great for Italy, and that no substantial benefit was derived from the compact. Before that first compact had expired by limitation, Italy was engaged in a war with King Menelek, and had suffered a terrible defeat. The war is still on. Suppose there should be other reverses, Italy would have the right to call on Germany and Austria for help. England has already explained that one purpose of the Nile expedition was to help Italy.

Here there are three powerful nations committed to the side of Italy in her contest with Abyssinia. These nations could not only prosecute the war to a successful termination, but they could prescribe terms of peace without prolonging the contest, which Menelek would be forced to accept. The backing of Italy insures an ultimate victory. It is more than probable that the three nations sustain now such a relation to England that they will stand by her in the effort to recover the Soudan.

Creation of Wealth by Irrigation.

Many are watching with great interest for the decision of the Federal Supreme Court touching the validity of what is known as the Wright Irrigation Law. Whatever may have been the imperfections of the law, there is no doubt that it would have done great things for California. If the law falls, another will probably be enacted at the next session of the Legislature. Irrigation has already turned the most arid parts of the State into a garden. One of the most satisfactory sources of supply in Southern California has been and still is, the artesian wells. The whole citrus industry depends on irrigation. No man plants an orange grove until he knows where he is to get a supply of water.

A writer in the Los Angeles Herald brings out some interesting facts which, if not new, he manages to place in a striking light. Thus, in 1870, there were less than 100 white people living on the area now comprised in Riverside county, and the valuation was less than $100,000. There was not a fence nor a tree on the barren plain and much of the land was assessed at 75 cents an acre. On that once desolate plain there is now a city of 8000 inhabitants, and around it there are 1,000 acres of orange groves, which make it the richest city, per capita, in the Union. The property in that county is now assessed at $13,500,000.

"Less than fifteen years ago there were but two towns in the San Gabriel valley, these were San Gabriel, a small settlement about the mission, and El Monte. The rest of the valley was given over to great herds of stock, which roamed about among the brush cropping the short grass. A few years later there was a settlement called Llave del Valle, 'the key of the valley,' which name was changed in 1874 to Pasadena, an Algonquin word meaning the "crown of the valley.' In 1880 Pasadena had a population consisting of 120 families. It is now a growing city of 10,000 people. Pasadena is a city of homes, has many fine residences and beautiful gardens and shaded streets. The San Gabriel valley has now a continuous string of towns and villages throughout its entire length. In 1886 the spot upon which the beautiful city of Redlands now stands was uninhabited and given over to brush and cactus. Redlands now has a population of 5000, and contains many fine residences and business blocks, with miles of graded streets. Its growth has been a most extraordinary example of the results of irrigation. In 1893 there was shipped from there 127,000 boxes of the finest oranges, and when the groves now planted come into full bearing, the crop will amount to nearly two million boxes."

The present town of San Diego was started in 1867, when one bought 900 acres now in the center of the city, for 27 cents an acre. The former San Diego is now known as old town. The city has now a population exceeding 16,000. Santa Ana, the beautiful little city of Orange county, has nearly doubled its population in four years. Pomona had only a population of 130 in 1880, now the population can hardly be less than 5000. Irrigation is the basis of prosperity for more than twenty towns in California, and there are twenty more in prospect. There are 267 postoffice towns in Southern California where the few hundred inhabitants will in a few years become many thousands. Happily the failure of the Wright Law (if it does fail) will not affect these towns, because the system there is quite different from that contemplated by this law.

For State Division.

It is a great pity that the Supervisors of San Diego county cannot find any better employment at present than that of trying to start a foolish agitation for State division. Heretofore this movement has usually been represented by about half a dozen men in Los Angeles who have an itching for office. There is no law authorizing any movement to be made for a division of the State, nor is there likely to be one in existence during the lifetime of any one of the small company of precious fools in San Diego who are addressing their sereeds to Boards of Supervisors in other counties.

California is one and indivisible. It is on its way to rank among the first States in the Union. Southern California has no grievance to be redressed. Nearly every concession has been made that has ever been demanded. Money has been granted for public buildings and other important improvements. In short, Southern California has been the favored section of the State. Division can mean nothing but sectional mischief.

The First Spring Festival.

Santa Barbara, the pioneer city in establishing a flower festival in California, fitly leads off with the first this year. It is always a great occasion in that pretty town, of which Edward Everett Hale recently said that the climate was so good that he wondered that anybody wanted to live in Boston. There will be something like twenty towns and cities, as we count them, that will this spring hold flower festivals in this State.

The influence of these is good in many ways. They create a taste for rural life. It finds its best expression in making beautiful homes. They create a stronger local pride for the particular town or city where such festivals are held. This pride stimulates local improvements. It would be impossible to hold a successful rose festival in an untidy town where there were only mud streets and unsightly rookeries. The festival goes with everything that makes for order and beauty.

The Raleigh News in a recent review of the tobacco industry of North Carolina stated that last year the planters cultivated, cured, and sold 82,000,000 pounds of tobacco.

"In the market this great mass of weed brought about $7,000,000, less than 9 cents a pound for the farmer, but a fair profit for his labor and expense in planting the crop. The manufacturers of the State used nearly half of the product, converting it into smoking and plug tobacco, cigarettes, cigars, etc. The value of their product was also about $7,000,000, so that the industry yielded to North Carolina the neat sum of $14,000,000 in 1895."

The quadrennial conference of the Methodist Church meets in Cleveland in May. Two or three important questions will come up for settlement. One is the admission of women as lay delegates; another is the time limit of the itineracy, and a third is the temperance question. In the question of women as lay delegates the two parties are pretty evenly divided, but the women are determined to gain this privilege, and their knock at the door of the conference each year is louder than before.

Herr Ahlwardt, the German Jew baiter, has gone from bad to worse since he arrived in this country. He has always been regarded with contempt. In Hoboken he consorted with tough characters and was finally attacked by a mob, struck with a brick-bat and finally carried off by the police as a noisy, troublesome fellow.

EVENTS OF THIS DATE.

A Daily Resume of History for Your Scrap Book.

On April 14th of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

HOLIDAYS.

Saints Tiberius, Valerian, Maximus, Carpus, Benezet, Anthony, John, Lidwina.

BIRTHS.

1738—William Henry, Duke of Portland.
1754—Dr. George Gregory.

DEATHS.

1577—Duke of Bothwell, husband of Mary, Queen of Scots.
1685—Thomas Otway, poet.
1764—Mme. Pompadour, mistress of Louis XV of France.
1880—Rev. Samuel Osgood, D. D., New York.
1883—Dr. William Farr, England.
1887—Eugene A. Oudine, French sculptor.
1888—Joseph Alleman, Archbishop of San Francisco.
1889—Simeon B. Chittenden, ex-Member Congress, Brooklyn.
1890—Matthew Harris, M. P., Ireland.
1891—G. H. Mackenzie, chess player, New York.
1894—Senator Z. B. Vance, ex-Governor North Carolina.
1894—General Henry W. Slocum, Brooklyn.
1895—Professor James Dwight Dana, of Yale College.
1895—Jas. W. Scott, editor Chicago Times-Herald.

OTHER EVENTS.

1471—Richard Nevill, Earl of Warwick (the King-maker), killed.
1672—Sweden joined coalition against the Dutch.
1701—Philip V entered Madrid as King of Spain.
1775—Abolition Society formed in Philadelphia; Benjamin Franklin, president.
1780—Battle of Monk's Corner, S. C.
1796—Battle of Millisimo, Italy.
1813—Embargo Act repealed.
1865—Attempted assassination of Wm. H. Seward, Secretary of State.
1865—President Abraham Lincoln assassinated.
1868—Commencement of Spanish revolution in Barcelona.
1879—Attempetd assassination of Emperor Alexander II of Russia.
1882—Tornado three miles wide swept Arkansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Illinois. Great damage.
1885—Huler's piano factory burned in New York; nine firemen killed.
1886—Frightful cyclone in Minnesota.
1890—Norwegian bark Jorsalfarer burned at sea.
1887—Escape of all prisoners in Lamar (Mo.) jail.
1891—Riot between soldiers and police in Budsing, Posen.
1891—Secretary Blaine replied to Italian Premier relative to New Orleans lynching.
1892—Terrific hailstorm at Bennettsville, S. C.
1892—Colored University at Atlanta, Ga., burned; loss, $100,000.
1893—Toledo, Ohio, sued Standard Oil Company for $1,000,000.
1893—Duke of Veragua received with public honor in New York.
1894—Miss Pollard granted $15,000 damages against Breckinridge.
1894—Wreck of steamer Los Angeles in Pacific Ocean; loss, $750,000.
1894—Fire destroyed portion of Santa Cruz, Cal.; loss, $750,000.
1895—Terms of peace between China and Japan finally arranged.
1895—Blanche Lamont's body found in church in San Francisco.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

WEDNESDAY, April 15.

BREAKFAST.

Fruit.
Corn Meal Mush. Sugar and Cream.
Bacon. Poached Eggs
Muffins. Coffee.

LUNCH.

Ragout of Beef's Heart
Baked Potatoes.
Swiss Pancakes. Tea.

DINNER.

Creey Soup.
Boiled Leg of Mutton. Caper Sauce.
Boiled Rice. Stewed Tomatoes.
Celery Mayonnaise.
Wafers. La Delicatesse Cheese.
Royal Bavarian Cream.
Coffee.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

The chief new woman in Athens is Miss Tricoupis, an elderly lady of small stature, who dresses very quietly and speaks five languages well. Everybody who can goes to her salon, and she wields a great influence in society and politics. It is considered the correct thing in Athens for a woman to know English and French as well as Modern Greek.

At a recent meeting of the Omar Khayyam Club in London a letter from Swinburne was read detailing his earliest acquaintance with the poet's works as translated by Fitzgerald. The first edition of the translation was unsalable at a shilling a copy, and Swinburne, with his friend Rossetti, bought six copies at a penny apiece. On returning to the bookstall the next day they found that they had boomed the price to twopence. The edition is now very valuable.

When President Faure stopped at Arles on his recent tour and said he would inspect the hospital there, the authorities were in a fix, as there happened to be no patients. They sent out a call for volunteers, however, and when the President appeared he found all the beds occupied by convalescents.

Speaker Reed was seated in the corner of a car on his way to the capitol in Washington recently, when, as the car reached the top of the hill, another passenger cried out lustily to have the car stopped. The conductor gazed at the excited passenger calmly and said: "I am obliged to stop here so that the gentleman in the corner can open the House of Representatives."

In the newly published autobiographical "Confidences" of the late Frederick Locker-Lampson, the poet says his uncle used to say that "You could not widen the mouth of a Locker without injury to his ears." One day at Malta, this frank old gentleman asked a stranger who had just landed to take wine with him, and expressed his obligation for the favor, saying: "Yesterday, sir, I was the ugliest man in all Malta!"

Mrs. Anthony Crisp, an old colored woman in Fort Scott, Kansas, on whose premises in that city pure coal oil was discovered, has begun to develop the find in her own peculir way. The oil was found in a deserted pit from which coal had been taken, and the old lady skims it off of a pool of water at the bottom of the pit and strains it through flannel cloth. She gets about five gallons a day in this way, which she sells for fifteen cents per gallon. She thinks she is becoming a serious competitor to the Standard Oil Company. The source of the flow of oil is a mystery, as is also its exceptionally pure quality.

In the literary section of the Paris exhibition of 1900 there will in all probability be seen the inkstands used in completing four great French masterpieces—the most notable works of Lamartine, George Sands, Victor Hugo and Dumas the elder. The four inkstands were given to Mme. Hugo, to be disposed of at a charity sale, and were bought back by Victor Hugo.

The French government has sent the cross of the Legion of Honor to the mother superior at the naval hospital of Toulon, Augusta Francoise Marie Madeline Paillot. The distinction is conferred for services rendered during the cholera visitations of 1865, 1884, and 1885. Mme. Paillot has been thirty-five years in the naval hospital.

South Africa has given a name to the Duke of Abercorn's little granddaughter, who has been christened Rhodesia, the Duke being chairman of Mr. Rhodes' Chartered Company. This, says the New York Sun, opens up the prospect of names like Mashona, Bechuana, Elagoa, Matabele, and Mpwapwa, for the new generation of English girls.

Count von Caprivi, ex-Chancellor of the German Empire, who has been living quietly at the home of his niece, on a large estate in Northern Prussia, is at work on his memoirs. It is announced that they will soon be in the hands of a Berlin printer. It is supposed that they will contain some interesting revelations.

Two Weddings.

Eighty-six years ago a stocky, illiterate boy from the farm was laboriously adding one dollar to another by ferrying passengers to and from across the upper bay of New York. He continued to acquire dollars in various ways during many years, until he had accumulated a great many of them—a hundred millions of them, according to popular report. Then he died.

A few months ago a great-granddaughter of his, one of the richest of American heiresses, was married in New York City to a titled young Englishman, better off in the matter of rank than in the matter of ready cash. Everybody remembers the wedding. The clinking of the ancestral dollars was louder than the marriage bells; it was distinctly audible throughout both hemispheres. No expense was spared, no circumstance of pomp or of publicity was omitted. Well-dressed New Yorkers all but trampled upon one another in their eagerness to catch a glimpse of the nuptials of the Title and the Millions. For days before hand and for days afterward the pages of a portion of the metropolitan press fairly reeked with snobbery.

Day before yesterday another wedding occurred in the same city. An ex-President of the United States, a soldier and statesman whose name is held in deserved honor at home and abroad, married the woman of his choice. There was no avoidable publicity on this occasion, and no pomp at all. A few old and near friends met at the appointed hour in the quiet church, and witnessed the simple ceremony. Then they went away as quietly as they had assembled.

We have no doubt that the contrast between these two weddings has forced itself upon the attention of a great many more Americans than have said anything about it even in their own homes, and has suggested to them interesting and not unsalutary thoughts.—Hartford Courant.

Good and Bad Luncheons.

"I always ask my feminine patients," said a well known physician the other day, "what they are in the habit of eating for luncheon, and I am convinced that half the ills the average middle-class woman is heir to are the result of idiotic noonday meals."

According to the doctor the favorite mid-day menu of the woman who lunches at home is tea, made whenever the cook has seen fit to make it, and steeped until it is a powerful infusion of tannic acid, some bread, cold meat from the dinner of the preceding day, and cake. This bill of fare is a favorite one, because it offers very little interruption to the kitchen work. The cook approves of it for her mistress and that is enough.

According to the same authority, luncheon should be carefully selected and prepared. If tea is used, the mistress should know that it is perfectly fresh and made of freshly boiled water. At least one hot dish should form part of the menu. It should not be a heavy one, but it should be nourishing. Omelets, poached eggs, hashed meats on toast, croquettes or the like should be served. A green salad or relish should be on the table, and fruit, either cooked or raw, should be eaten. Toast is more palatable than cold bread and should therefore be used. Cake is an unnecessary luxury, a sufficient amount of sugar being taken in the healthier form of fruit. Such a noonday diet as this is appetizing, nourishing and digestible—a trinity of virtues absolutely lacking in the ordinary household luncheon menu.

SCIENCE BREVITIES.

According to a calculation of the horse power of a cannon in La Nature, an Italian cannon of 100 tons, with a charge of 550 pounds of powder and a shot weighing about 2000 pounds, will give an initial velocity of 523 meters per second; the length of time during which the powder acts is less than one-hundredth of a second, from which it follows that the horse power developed is about 17,000,000. The writer adds that after about 100 shots the cannon is put out of service, and its total active life is therefore only one second! In large modern cannon the horse power runs as high as 24,000,000. "If the writer had carried out these calculations still further," says the Engineering and Mining Journal, "he would have found that, after all, this 24,000,000 horse power does not represent a large amount of energy, as it would be just sufficient to run 31 incandescent lamps for only one day."

"Another excellent journal, this time a French one," says the American Naturalist, "has been led astray by attaching too much importance to the romances of the American newspaper reporter. We refer to the story published some months ago by a San Francisco journal that a physician of that city had succeeded in grafting some snakes together by their tails. The fictitious character of the narrative is demonstrated by the fact that the said physician selected snakes in which the vertebral column does not extend to the end of the tail. If the editor of the journal had referred the question to the professors of the museums of Paris, he would have learned that snakes of this kind exist only in the imagination of the author of the canard."

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The guard ordinance requiring the street railroad companies in Oakland to put life protecting fenders on their cars, does not seem to trouble the companies much, as but few have complied with the ordinance. The chief of police, however, will see that the law is obeyed, and has taken steps to compell them to do so.—Pleasanton Times.

During the past week much has been done throughout the county to make the Fabiola fete in Oakland on May 1, a success, and the promise of floats from numerous towns of the interior have been received by the committee. The towns of Mission San Jose, Haywards and Livermore will each have a float. Surely Pleasanton should be heard from.—Pleasanton Times.

Oakland had better be careful or Alameda will, in a few years, surpass it in population, as it is at the present time surpassing it in nearly everything else. Why, just think of a City Hall that is but a barn as compared with Alameda's fine brick structure. And yet Alameda has only about a fourth as many inhabitants as Oakland. Again, Alameda has been selected as the finishing point for the relay race, which takes place tomorrow, instead of our sister city across the estuary. And the reason for this is patent to every one—Alameda's streets surpass those of Oakland. Come, neighbor, awake from your slumber, and show some signs of life.—Alameda Encinal.

The members of Lyon Post, Oakland, of the Grand Army of the Republic, do not take kindly to the sentence imposed upon the Post and will appeal to have the judgment of ninety days' suspension set aside. To an outsider it looks as if the punishment visited upon the veterans is unnecessarily severe, and we hope they will be successful in their appeal.—Alameda Encinal.

Eva Evans, the actress, daughter of Chris Evans, the bandit, and leading lady in the Chris Evans show, is suing her husband for a divorce.—Santa Cruz Sentinel.

Opening of the New Baths.

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Judge Ogden Denies Motions on the Part of Ben Hill.

Sentence to Be Given Tomorrow and an Appeal Will Be Taken.

Tom M. Bradley made a long plea yesterday afternoon before Judge Ogden for the purpose of getting a new trial for his client, Benj. L. Hill, the wife murderer, on the ground that Judge Ogden had erred in many ways, especially in his instructions to the jury. But the plea was without success.

As a consequence Hill will be sentenced tomorrow.

"The only part of the instructions asked for by the defendant," said the Judge, in closing the matter "which was not given to the jury in substance or effect, was the last instruction which was in effect that it would require twelve of their number to find a verdict and that one juror was not bound to give up his opinion in deference to that of another. The Court was not so much opposed to that as a question of law as to the manner in which it was expressed. The Supreme Court has said that a trial court is not bound to give the same statement in half a dozen different expressions. I think the instructions given by the court of our own motion cover all the points. The only other question was as to making evidence for oneself. The rule is that persons accused can not make evidence for themselves. The letter from the defendant to his wife certainly cuts no figure in the case. It threw no light on the case, and no ruling excluding the statement of the wife to the husband or the husband to the wife regarding that letter could be error. There was no error in the case prejudicial to the defendant. If there was error, it was against the prosecution, and not against the defendant. The motion for a new trial is denied."

Mr. Bradley said he would take an exception. He then said he would ask a new trial on the ground that the complaint was insufficient to constitute a public offense. He asserted that he could raise that question at any time.

Judge Ogden read the complaint and denied the motion and Mr. Bradley took another exception.

"I presume, Mr. Bradley," said Judge Ogden, "that there will be an appeal in this case?"

Mr. Bradley replied in the affirmative.

"If so," continued the Judge, "it would be inadvisable to fix a date of sentence. If you are willing to postpone the passing of sentence it will be passed till Wednesday next at 9:30 A. M. The Supreme Court indicates that where sentence of death must be pronounced, the court should defer the fixing of the date till after the appeal has been decided. Pass the case till next Wednesday at 9:30 a. m."

Hill was then taken back to jail.

Mother's Mush is a breakfast delight.

A Hospital Corps.

A Hospital Corps will be organized next Tuesday evening at the meeting of the Fifth Infantry Regiment in Armory Hall. Surgeon Major Dunn is taking an active interest in promoting the department.

Professor Washington Wilson of the Chico Normal School will lecture before the Oakland teachers at the High School Thursday afternoon.

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COMMITTEES ARE ANNOUNCED.

Superintendent Miller Makes a Plea for Better Streets.

HEALTH TOPICS HANDLED.

An Ordinance Passed to Make All Street Cars Slow Up.

Despite the rain the Council turned out in full force last evening. Most of the members came early and gathered around the fire in the City Clerk's office. Manuel, Towle, Buckland and Street Superintendent Miller were the first on the scene and amused themselves by discussing wearing apparel in general, and in particular a new suit which Manuel had just purchased at a fire sale for $7.50, he said, he brushed out the creases and stood up to show how it fitted and his listeners admiringly vowed to purchase at fire sales whenever opportunity offered in the future. Then through natural channels the discourse drifted to the length of limbs. Miller, Towle and Manuel discussed heartily on the topic but the doctor seemed to feel that he was out of it and when President Mott came in left his companions to talk with some one his own size. From that on the conversation became general, shortly after 8 o'clock all the members had arrived and they went into the Council chamber. Promptly at ten minutes after 8 the gavel fell and the meeting was in order.

The first thing on the programme was the announcement of the new committees. President Mott had worked on the matter all of the week and had his appointment ready. He handed the names to the Clerk who read them as follows:

TE COMMITTEES.

Ordinance and Judiciary—Manuel, Buckland, Brosnahan, Dow, Towle.

Auditing and Finance—Towle, Heitmann, Marshall, Watkinson, Manuel.

Street—Marshall, Capell, Brosnahan, Buckland, Bassett.

Printing—Capell, Watkinson, Buckland, Heitmann, Dow.

Municipal License—Buckland, Dow, Watkinson, Marshall, Bassett.

Street Lighting—Brosnahan, Capell, Marshall, Manuel, Bassett.

Wharves and Water Front—Dow, Brosnahan, Dow, Towle, Heitmann, Manuel.

Public Improvements — Watkinson, Brosnahan, Dow, Bassett, Marshall.

Fire and Water—Heitmann, Capell, Manuel, Watkinson, Towle.

Street Railroads—Bassett, Buckland, Heitmann, Capell, Towle.

Then came the regular business of the evening and it came fast. Most of the meetings of late have been interrupted by the hearing of protests, but last night nothing stopped the proceedings and routine work was transacted in a hurry.

The budget of communications was exceptionally large, owing to the number of protests against the resolutions ordering street work covering one foot less than a block.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications of all sorts were disposed of:

From F. Chappellet et al. against sewering Grove street from Knox street to Telegraph avenue and Bay Place. Filed.

From the Alameda Land Company, et al. against re-macadamizing East Fourteenth street. Street Committee.

From G. M. Stolp et al. against re-macadamizing Lake street. Street Committee.

From T. Frases et al. against remacadamizing East Fourteenth street from East Thirteenth to East Twenty-second street. Street Committee.

From James A. Johnson et al. against remacadamizing East Fourteenth street. Street Committee.

From A. Bruenn et al. against opening Fourteenth street from Market to Myrtle streets. Set for hearing May 4th.

From H. Rathjen et al. against re-macadamizing Thirteenth avenue from East Eighteenth to East Nineteenth street. Street Committee.

From A. J. Davis et al against re-macadimizing East Fifteenth street from Tenth to Eleventh avenues. Street Committee.

From Frank Laidlaw to remove a obstruction from Ettie and Twenty-eighth street. Filed.

From Susan A. Tubbs, against re-macadamizing East Fourteenth from Fourth to Fifth avenue. Street Committee.

From P. Heverin, to be released from his contract for sewering Twenty-first avenue from East Twenty-seventh to East Thirtieth street. Filed.

From E. A. Kluegel, against opening Fourteenth street. Set for hearing May 4th.

From W. O. De Fremery et al, to open a street through Cemetery Creek. Street Committee.

From L. Dulcich, to grade East Fourteenth street and Thirteenth avenue. Street Committee.

From A. Fonte, to remove a tree on East Twelfth street. Street Committee.

From C. F. MacDermott et al. for a cement sidewalk on Perry street. Street Committee.

From the Exempt Firemen for an enine house and $20 a month. Auditing and Finance Committee.

From Kahn Bros. et al., to accept Twelfth street from Broadway to Washington street. Street Committee.

From L. Crocker et al., for a sewer in Second street from Alice to Jackson streets. Street Committee.

From W. S. Dunlevy, for an extension of time on Peralta avenue work. Street Committee.

From the Oakland Consolidated Street Railway, submitting plans of the guard proposed to be used. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

From N. L. Edwards, to erect a corrogated iron building on Telegraph avenue. Street Committee.

From W. Walsh et al., for a fire hydrant at Eighteenth and Peralta streets. Fire and Water Committee.

From W. S. Dunlevy, for 60 days' extension of time to complete sewer on Lester avenue. Street Committee.

From the California and Nevada Meat Company, for $200 reimbursement for a horse which fell through the Eighth street bridge. City Attorney and Auditing and Finance Committee.

From the Superintendent of Streets, recommending a sidewalk on Lee street. Street Committee.

From the Police and Fire Commissioners, recommending the purchase of bedsteds for the engine houses. Finance Committee.

From the Central Avenue Railroad Company announcing that it had adopted the Clark railroad car guard. Filed.

From P. Micovich withdrawing his application for liquor license. License Committee.

From H. N. Morse et al. against regrading Watson avenue. Street Committee.

From the Williams Block Co., in regard pavements. Street Committee.

From the street superintendent in reopening Fallon street between Eleventh and Twelfth street. Street Committee.

From the chief of the fire department recommending fire hydrants at East Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets and Thirteenth avenue. Fire and Water Committee.

From Mrs. McCormick et al. against re-macadamizing Thirteenth avenue, between East Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. Street Committee.

From G. W. Alburd et al. against re-macadamizing Twelfth street between Kirkham and Center streets. Street Committee.

FOR BETTER STREETS.

The Street Superintendent sent a communication on the necessity of street repairing; it reads as follows:

"To the Honorable Council.

Oakland, California.

"Gentlemen:- Council Resolution No. 22,017 requires the officers of the city to make a list of supplies in required by their respective departments for the fiscal year 1895-96. Said list to contain a complete enumeration of supplies needed without exception, and to be delivered to the City Clerk on or before April 30th.

"The needs of the city are manifold and the amount of this estimate depends upon the extent to which they are carried out. I therefore beg leave to address your Honorable Body in reference to matters pertaining to the Street Department and to make the recommendations and suggestions contained herein.

The problem of devising a way of improving our worn out streets which will be fair and just and satisfactory to the people, is one of considerable magnitude and of paramount importance to the city. Good streets certainly rank first among the essential requisites of a successful community. At present we have a bad name in this regard, and it is undoubtedly affecting the business interests of the city.

"The time has certainly come to promote an active and energetic movement towards the the rehabilitation of our streets, and particularly our main thouroughfares. I believe it is within the province of the powers of this Council under the law to require at your discretion improvement of streets by the property owners. I believe a careful study and consideration of the law will satisfy your Honorable Body that this is the law, and that it is wise and just.

"Not long since I stated in a communication to this Council that during the 11th day of January last, 1732 teams passed over the Twelfth street dam and that the property fronting upon East Twelfth street between First and Thirteenth avenues, and upon East Fourteenth street between Thirteenth and Twenty-fifth avenues was owned by about 200 persons. Analyzing the problem presented by these figures, leads to surprising results. If an average of 1500 teams each carrying two persons pass over the Twelfth street dam daily, in one year's time $1,095,000 people are made to suffer personal discomfort, besides endangering their lives and property.

"It was recently proposed to improve East Twelfth street between the Boulevard and Fallon street, and yet one property owner presented a majority protest and stopped the work. The City Council has tried repeatedly during recent years to cause the improvement of worn out streets in various parts of the city, but the proceedings are invariably stopped by a majority protest.

"Whether it be one or two hundred property owners, can it be deemed wise or just that thousands of people be compelled to repeatedly suffer intolerable physical discomfort, lose valuable time, damage their property and endanger their lives because a few property owners along a street will persist in ignoring the inevitable law of commercial progress and prosperity, for there is no question that as a general proposition, property values will increase or decrease according to the conditions of the street upon which they front.

"Can anyone doubt that the proposed improvement of our streets will result in materially enhancing the value of the abutting property?

"The figures just given prove two things: First that the property owners on certain streets should not be permitted under the law to prevent improvements thereon which are necessary and essential to the best interests of a large community ,and secondly that a few property owners should not be required to wholly reconstruct and maintain the main thoroughfares of the city. The proper maintenance of our leading highways is clearly, I think, a duty incumbent to a large extent upon the municipality. To put our streets in proper condition will require systematic effort, intelligently directed.

"We can only take the conditions as they exist today, and adopt a policy for improvements which will be as equitable as possible to all concerned. A beginning must be made at some time, and the longer it is postponed, the more difficult will it be to agree on the best policy to adopt.

"Our streets in reference to their condition are of three grades, namely, good, medium and bad. The proposition which I respectfully submit, is for the city to hereafter maintain all macadamized streets which have been properly constructed. This policy should be immediately adopted by the city and it will be found that when the ground already lost is recovered, the expense of systematically caring for the macadamized streets will be trivial. I understand this policy has been adopted in most of the cities of this State. The worn out residence streets should be reconstructed by the property owners and thereafter streets should be maintained by the city. Streets can be maintained by the city without being accepted, and this I believe is the best policy to adopt for future development of certain streets will necessitate the building of expensive pavements which will enhance the value of the abutting property and the owners thereof should bear part of the expense in the case of main thoroughfares and all the expense on business streets.

"In my judgment the first step is to provide the Street Department with material and facilities for making repairs. We should be provided at all times with the material necessary to comply promptly with the demands and expectations of the people in this regard. Our experience in securing requisitions for supplies has been most discouraging and I have no hesitancy in stating that the policy of arbitrarily withholding requisitions regardless of the necessities of the case is childishly inconsistent, and ruinous in the extreme to the best interest of the city. We were recently furnished $495 worth of rock which is now being used to good advantage upon streets in comparatively good condition, but still in need of repairs. The water companies are now repairing the bad places in the streets for which they are responsible, and the street railway companies are being required to do their share, as far as our power extends to that end.

"The next step is the reconstruction of those macadamized streets, which are completely worn out. The proceedings now under way for this work are legal proceedings, and cover work essential to the best interests of the city. To my mind there is no better course of procedure by which these improvements can be made.

"The repair of streets is made compulsory under Section Thirteen of the Street law and but three days' notice allowed for beginning work, while this block system gives wide publicity to the proposed work, invites competition, and gives more time and opportunity to the property owners to arrange for the payment of the work. The expense of the work under the special specifications prepared therefor, will be according to the amount of rock actually placed upon the street besides the necessary labor. The property affected is in the better quarters of the city, and the proposed work will impose no serious burden upon the owners thereof.

"It is not the intention to include the main thoroughfares under these proceedings. They should be paved with a clean, noiseless and durable pavement, constructed in the best possible manner, and on account of the comparatively heavy expense, it is to be hoped that the next tax levy will provide funds for assisting the property owners to build such a street. We have but three or four main thoroughfares which need attention at the present time, and if the policy can be adopted and carried out of providing money each year, for this work by general taxation, in three or four years we may be justly proud of our streets.

"As stated in previous communications, main thoroughfares constitute a distinct class of streets, and this is particularly true of Oakland. The owner of property abutting thereon contribute only from three to five per cent of the wear on the pavement, and it is plain that the municipality should defray a portion of the expense of reconstruction and maintenance.

"Sufficient money to pay one-half the cost for the reconstruction of one main thoroughfare should be provided each year by general taxation until these highways are permanently surfaced with a modern pavement.

"The cost of a strictly first class asphalt or bituminous rock pavement, or one equally as good is from 22 to 24 cents per square foot, and I believe the city should pay one-half of this amount towards the re-construction of our main thoroughfares.

"Thus far too little attention has been paid to the quality of our street pavements. Whatever is done henceforth should be executed in the best possible manner. No contract should be let to prices which are plainly below the actual cost of first class work. Our official specifications should not include work of different grades, applicable to main thoroughfares or business streets for the second and third grades are necessarily of inferior character. Cheap work is invariably dear at any price.

"Taken in the order of their relatively bad condition and importance, East Twelfth street from First avenue to Twenty-fifth avenue demands immediate attention. It may be desirable, however, to substitute East Fourteenth street for East Twelfth, from Thirteenth avenue easterly to the city line. The main point is to provide one well built thoroughfare across that portion of the city.

"The cost of paving one street from First avenue to Twenty-fifth avenue, and of curbing the same with cement, will be aproximately $100,000, and I respectfully recommend and urge that your Honorable Body provide the sum of $50,000 in the next tax levy for the purpose of defraying one-half of the expense. The details of the proposed work can be immediately worked out when it is once ascertained that the disposition of your Honorable Body is to assist in carrying through this improvement.

"My intention is to include the item of $50,000 in the estimate about to be submitted and I respectfully recommend that an expression of your disposition toward the proposition be made by resolution at your earliest convenience, in order that the matter can be laid before the property owners for consideration.

Yours Truly,

M. K. MILLER,

Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland.

The matter was referred to the Street Committee.

The City Treasurer's report for the month of March was filed.

SALARIES.

Watkinson's resolution to reduce the salary of the chief clerk in the Street Superintendent's office was lost by a single vote. His resolution to reduce the pay of the Deputy Superintendent

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of Streets from $125 to $100 was tabled and a resolution taking away from the office the $25 a month heretofore allowed the Deputy Superintendent for the keeping of his horse was passed.

Everybody except Dow voted to raise the salary of the young lady stenographer in the same office from $60 to $75 a month and Dow was careful to explain that he thought that she undoubtedly earned that amount yet he had promised himself to save every dollar for the city he could, so could not consistently vote aye.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to remove the scow house on the Twelfth street dam.

Directing the Board of Public Works to advertise for bids for a sidewalk around the engine house at Market and Milton streets.

Directing the City Attorney and City Engineer to prepare an ordinance to raise the grade on Fourteenth avenue, near Nineteenth street.

Directing the Board of Public Works to order a crosswalk at Sixth and Brush streets.

Awarding contract for grading, curbing and macadamizing East Nineteenth street to the East Oakland Paving Company.

Awarding the contract for grading, curbing and macadamizing Fallon street to the Piedmont Paving Co.

Awarding the contract to grade and curb East Twentieth street from Nineteenth to Twenty-first avenue to J. T. Cockran.

Giving permission to the Globe Iron Works to erect and maintain a steam engine and boiler at 619 Broadway.

Rescinding the resolution to sewer Twenty-first avenue from East Twenty-seventh to East Twenty-first streets.

Granting G. H. Collins permission to construct a five-foot sidewalk on Third street.

Granting the Memorial Day Committee the use of the Council chamber.

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to remove all obstructions from Twenty-eighth and West streets.

Rescinding a number of obsolete street resolutions.

Appropriating $199 for material to complete the work on San Pablo avenue.

Directing the Board of Public Works to repair the windmills on the Lake Shore road at a cost not to exceed $200.

Authorizing the Street Superintendent to employ a man at $1 per day to make a map for street numbering purposes.

Directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for sewering Twenty-first avenue from East Twenty-seventh to East Thirtieth street.

Directing the wharves and water front company to take charge of the transcripts on appeal in the water front cases.

Directing the Board of Public Works to remove trees on Hopkins street.

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to remove the box and piping on the Eighth street bridge.

Adopting plans for the construction of the sewer in Thirteenth avenue.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were read and disposed of as follows:

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to notify property owners on the west side of Lee street to construct a sidewalk. Tabled.

Directing the City Engineer to make surveys for opening a street through Cemetery creek. Street Committee.

Directing the Superintendent of Streets to notify the property owners on Athol avenue to construct a sidewalk. Street Committee.

Directing the City Engineer to prepare a grade ordinance for Sherman street from Twenty-third avenue to the city limits. Street Committee.

Directing the Contra Costa Water Company to remove its hydrants from the district bounded by Broadway, the western shore of the estuary and Lake Merritt and the eastern line of Oakland avenue. Fire and Water Committee.

Directing the City Engineer to do the surveying for the Eighth Street bridge repairs. Street Committee.

STREET WORK.

The following street work was ordered:

Sidewalk on Jones street from Grove street to Telegraph avenue.

Grade, curb, and macadamize Goss street from the railroad tracks to the shore line.

Sidewalk on Goss street from Willow to Wood street.

To grade and macadamize Watson avenue from Brooklyn to Newton avenues.

To grade and macadamize Winter street from Perry street to Moss avenue.

Sidewalk on Franklin street from Twentieth to Twenty-second street.

Sidewalk on Isabella street from San Pablo avenue to Twenty-second street.

Sewer on Lewis street from Hopkins street to Prospect avenue.

Sewers at Webster and Twenty-fourth streets.

Sewer in Prospect avenue from Thirteenth avenue to King street.

Street work on Thirteenth avenue between Clinton avenue and Grant street.

Sewer on King street from Hopkins street to Prospect avenue.

To grade and macadamize East Twenty-first street from Sixteenth to Twenty-first avenue.

Sewer in Wood street from Atlantic street southerly.

Sewer in Union street from Spring street to Fourteenth avenue sewer.

PROPOSED WORK.

Of intention to remacadamize Eighth street from Fallon street 299.5 feet east. Street Committee.

Of intention for sewer in Spruce street from Peralta to Prospect avenue. Street Committee.

Of intention for sewer in Clay street from First to Fourteenth street. Street Committee.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

The liquor license bonds of Clemens Martin, 1226 Broadway, and H. Kirchner, 1512 Adeline street, were approved.

E. Strauss and S. Morris of 1072 Broadway and Wemmer & Franz, 412 Eighth street, were granted permission to obtain liquor licenses.

The liquor license bonds of Wameeke & Michels, 603 Broadway, and W. A. Gardner, at Fifteenth and Market streets, were sent to the License Committee.

ORDINANCES REFERRED.

The Board of Health did not approve Mott's ordinance making it obligatory on the part of the housekeepers to keep their refuse in one receptiacle and ashes in another, and it was sent back to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee with the following ordinance, which the Health Department submitted:

ORDINANCE NO. ——

An Ordinance Providing for the Separation of Ashes and Non-combustible Matter and Substances from Garbage and Liquid Refuse.

"Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland as follows:

"Section 1. Any person, firm or corporation that may now or hereafter, under any ordinance of the City of Oakland, or having any contract with said city for the gathering, destruction or removal of garbage, house refuse, butcher's offal, refuse, ashes, dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter, in and from said city shall be and are hereby required to provide a screen (size of screen to meet the approval of the Health Department) for the purpose of separating ashes and non-combustible matter and substances from garbage, refuse, butcher's offal, house refuse, ashes, dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter. And such person, firm, or corporation shall carefully and thoroughly separate such ashes and other non-combustible matter and substances from garbage, house refuse, butcher's offal, refuse, ashes dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter so gathered.

Section 2. Said ashes and non-combustible matter and substances shall be deposited by said person, firm or corporation in such places as shall from time to time be designated by the Council of the said city for the purpose of filling in streets and low lands or marshes and subject to the approval of the Board of Health. Said garbage, house refuse, butcher's offal, refuse, ashes, dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter shall be by such person, firm or corporation effectually destroyed or removed in accordance with the ordinance or contract under which said person, firm or corporation may be gathering, destroying or removing garbage, house refuse, butcher's offal, refuse, ashes, dirt, dead animal and putrid vegetable matter, in and from said city of Oakland.

Section 3. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished upon conviction by a fine not exceeding $100 and in case such fine be not paid, then the person or persons so fined shall be imprisoned in the city prison of the City of Oakland at the rate of one day for each two dollars of the fine so imposed and remaining unpaid.

"Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force immediately upon its passage and approval."

Ordering the opening of East Twenty-first street. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Establishing the grade on Twenty-second avenue, between Seventeenth and Twenty-first streets. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Adopting general specifications for private and side sewers. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Directing the Northern Railway Company to change the location of its tracks on Cedar street. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Amending the liquor license ordinance so that the Council may have the power to return to a party his license after it has once been revoked, providing good cause arises therefor. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Amending the ordinance relating to the sale of unwholesome meats. Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

The following ordinances were finally passed:

Ordering the opening of Thirteenth street between Kirkham and Center streets.

Making it unlawful for any motorman to leave his post while his car is in motion.

Compelling street cars to reduce their speed to 3 miles an hour when passing each other and not to pass at all on any cross streets or within 50 feet thereof.

The Council then adjourned to meet next Monday night.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The Auditing and Finance Committee recommended the payment of a number of claims, but to some of them Watkinson took exception, or at least wanted further investigation by the committee and at his request they were referred. The bills were incurred in the City Engineer's office and were as follows:

L. M. Hall, $120; C. E. Proctor, $46 50; $12, $15, $18, $40.50; T. H. Reed, $58 50, $57, $21, $6, $43.50, $6.

Other bills allowed were as follows:

L. Anderson, $4.70, $32; Associated Charities, $150; L. S. Bixby, $25; Contra Costa Laundry, $4.45; J. P. Crick, $12.50, Carruth & Carruth, $12.50, $13.50; G. B. Daniels & Co., $12.25, $3.10; A. Deverson, $5.50; E. M. Derby & Co. $997; A. C. Deltz, $20; H. D. Ellason $1.50, $0.96; Hugh Frazier, $2; Mrs. Mary Gooby, $10; Girard & Co., $3.95; E. Hook, $42.42, $5; Hillhouse & Reardon, $8.25, $21.25; D. D. Hays, $12, $3; E. Hough, $60, $5, $35; J. Haulr, $20; Industry Pub. Co., $6.95; Ingler & Atkinson, $1.10; W. B. Ingersol, $11.50; J. E. Johnson, $5.50; M Knapp, $15, $15; C. A. Klinker & Co., $14.25; A. Kruger, $15, $15, $15, $15, $20; James Lamb, $20; A. Leckie, $2.85; Wm. Lebrich, $1.75, $2; C. A. Maxwell & Sons, $65.95, $2.50, $39 56, $21, $2.70, $4.62; L. A. Mitchell, $17; E. Mosca, $24; Mitchell Bros, $16; James Miller, $225.10; Maxwell & Poorman, $47; J. Mueller, $4.75; Oakland Sash & Door Co., $5.25; Oakland Iron Works, $30, $32.29, $15; Oakland Gas Light and Heat Co., $4,979.15, $8, $10.85; $321.30. Oakland Enq. Pub. Co., $1.67, $9.36, $19.24, $1.71, $9.48, $10.34, $12.06; $11.48; Pierce Hardware Co., $87.68; Pacific Press Pub. Co., $13.50; Remillard Brick Co., $67, $19.50; J. C. Sweet & Co., $17; Sobst Bros., $6, M. Sullivan, $4; A. W. Sherwood, $9.25, $6; H. B. Sears, $5.50; John Simon, $2.50, M. S. Smith & Sons, $4.25; C. Schreiber, $35; Sunset T. & T. Co., $1.30, $0.25, $0.50, $0.80, $0.15; O. K. Stampley, $4; A. B. Tennent, $122.50, $122.50; E. R. Tutt, $0.95; Taylor & Anseon, $2.20; Taylor & Co., $96.47; J. C. Wetson & Co., $16.98, $9.22, $47.87, $15.79, $51.43, $264.22, $5.96, $5.86, $8.81, Wilson & Reynolds, $10; J. J. White, $1; H. M. Wilson, $2.75; W. W. Woodcock, $1.92, Fred Wuescher, $3.25; W. B. Walkup, $1.50; H. L. Weltzel, $275.75; Weltman & Weltman, $11.75.

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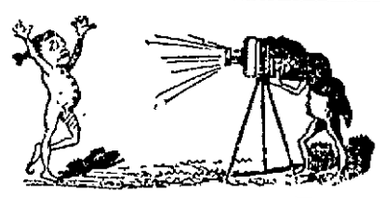
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Town Trustee, two-year term—William Lawrence, 181; Henry Powell, Sr., 169; independent.

Town Marshal—George F. Obermuller, 176; W. J. Ramage, 191; independent.

Town Clerk—H. E. Brunner, 122; Jas. A. Collins, 254; independent.

Town Treasurer—Alonzo Bradford, 177; A. E. Fischer, 193; independent.

Library Trustees—F. F. Allen, J. E. Geary, J. J. McDonnell, R. Reid, R. E. Wenk, unanimously; independent.

SAN LEANDRO.

City Trustees—George Downie, 283; H. F. Eber, 375; J. M. Estudillo, 118; E. D. Gray, 295; N. L. Hansen, 115; independent.

City Clerk—L. J. Martin, 176; Frank H. Williams, 228; independent.

City Marshal—Manuel Borge, 7; Michael Geisenhoefer, 272; William R. McKenzie, 31; M. J. O'Brien, 16; A. J. Santos, 77; independent.

City Treasurer—Joseph Herrscher, unanimous; independent.

PLEASANTON.

Town Trustees (long term, three elected)—Nevis, 152; D. Gray, 115; Martin, 111; Hortenstine, 105.

Short Term—Schroeder, 142.

Town Clerk—Joseph Neal, 144.

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Town Marshal—Ed Head, 74; J. Brophy, 52; Donalty, 46; L. Locke, 31, Starr, 2.

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Minerva J. Sweeney to G. W. and E. A. Gunn, SW Todd and Occidental sts S 125 x W 50, being lot 8, blk I, Paradise Park, $10.

R. S. and Carrie Miller to J. J. Montgomery, E Grove 50 S 42d S 50 x E 90, being ptn plot 36, Ro V, and D. Peralta, $10.

Mary J. Moss et al. to Julia E. Gould, lot 24, blk T, amended map Moss tract, $10.

North Alameda Land Co. to Manuel Garcia, lot 4, blk 9, North Alameda tract, fmly Valdez and Glascock tract, $350.

H. E. and Laura A. Pinney to Annie Erikson, E Boston av 150 N Chicago av N 50 x E 150, blk E, revised map Prospect Hill tract, $100.

J. E. and Sadie F. Crooks to John Gamble, lot 11, blk 101, Meek tract, map 1, Haywards, $10.

James A. Trefry to Edward Salz, com at a pt where the division line bet lands of Is' party and lands of Silvaria intersects center line county road Centerville to Irvington, th SW 433 ft NW 80 ft NE 433 ft SE 80 ft to beg, town of Centerville, $5.

Geo. Leonard et al., by commr, to Bank of Livermore, lots 1 to 8, Leonard tract, Livermore, $885.

Chas. B. Morgan to Eliza W. Morgan, NW Castro and 12th sts N 100 x W 150, being lots 19 to 25, blk 189, Q. C. D., $5.

Mary V. Vest to George H. Wethern, E Kirkham st 118 N W-12th st N 76 x E 115, being lots 21 and 25, blk 577, $3000.

W. F. and Laura J. Thomas to Wm. P. and Alice F. Todd, re-record of 519 d 271, S Oakland av 345.71 E Vernal av E 40 S 134 10 W 40.03 N 132.65 to beg, being lot 21, Piedmont tract, subj to a mtge to Union Savings Bank for $650, $10.

Vincent and Marie Hourat to Marcel Hourat, lots 13 and 14, blk I, resub ptn Roberts and Wolfskill tract, $450.

Chas. H. Sawyer to Georgie E. Sawyer, nee Handy, W College av 150 S Sylvan way W 216 S 18 E 215 N 50 to beg, being ptn Hillegass estate in plot 71, Ro V, and D. Peralta, $10.

J. C. and Mary E. McMullen and Mary M. Buck, by attorney, to George K. Holloway, lot 10, blk 5, Case tract, $10.

James E. and Matilda A. Daly to David Anderson, lots 5 and 6, blk D; lots 4, 5, 6 and 18, blk F, Daly tract, $10.

H. C. Morris to Charles Marschhausen, N Mountain View av 110 E Sunnyside st E 50 x N 150, being lot 102, resub blk 31, Warner tract, $10.

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SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.
Department No. 3.
JULIA E. BEGHTOL, Plaintiff,
vs.
CHARLES A. BEGHTOL, Defendant.

Action taken in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and the Complaint filed in said County of Alameda, in the office of said Clerk of said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Charles A. Beghtol, defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after service on you of this Summons, if served within this County, otherwise within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree of this Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other relief as to the Court may seem proper, upon the ground of defendant's willful failure and neglect to provide for plaintiff the common necessaries of life for the period of more than one year now last past and immediately preceding the commencement of this action, he having the ability so to do, and that plaintiff be permitted to resume her maiden name of Julia E. Necker, special references being made to the complaint on file herein for further particulars.

And you are hereby notified, that if you fail to appear and answer the said Complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, this 31st day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. Cal Ewing, Deputy Clerk.
Walter H. Levy, attorney for plaintiff.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

LOUISA B. GROVE, Plaintiff,
vs. No. 11,123.
F. F. WESTON ET AL., Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein Louisa B. Grove, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against F. F. Weston, J. L. Scotchler, Harriet E. Whitlow, Elizabeth Krytser, John B. Krytser, Louis P. Neuweiler and William F. Lewis, defendants, on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1896, for the sum of eleven hundred and ninety dollars, in United States gold coin, besides interest, costs and counsel fees; and wherein defendant and cross-complainant William F. Lewis obtained a judgment for the sum of three hundred and sixty-six and $2-100 dollars in United States gold coin, besides interest, which said decree was, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1896, recorded in Judgment Book 20 of said Court, at page 304, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the town of Berkeley, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Channing way, distant thereon three hundred and fifty (350) feet westerly from the westerly line of Fulton street; and running thence westerly along the said line of Channing way fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles southerly three hundred (300) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet; thence at right angles westerly fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet to the point of commencement, being a portion of lot number seven (7) in block number three (3), as numbered and delineated on a certain map entitled "Property of the College Homestead Association, Oakland, Alameda County, Cal.," recorded May 15, 1866, in Liber "T" of Deeds, at page 799, Alameda County Records.

Public notice is hereby given that on

WEDNESDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1896,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Courthouse of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, in the order specified in said decree, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgments, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, April 11th, 1896.
W. S. HARLOW,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
JOHN M. LEWIS, Attorney for Plaintiff, Pacific Mutual Building, San Francisco.

LINDEN STREET OPENING.

Street Superintendent's Notice Requiring Payment of Assessment.

Office of the Superintendent of Streets, Oakland, April 10th, 1896.

In compliance with law, notice is hereby given that on March 4th, 1896, I received from the City Clerk of the City of Oakland a certified copy of the written report, assessment and plat accompanying the same made by the Commissioners appointed by the City Council of the City of Oakland, to assess benefits and damages, and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of the opening of Linden street, in said city, from First street to the Peralta Grant line, which said report, assessment and plat were filed by said Commissioners, in the office of the Clerk of said City Council, December 23d, 1895, and passed upon, confirmed, approved and adopted by said City Council at a regular meeting thereof, held on March 2d, 1896, and that the assessment therein contained is now due and payable, and thirty days after said March 4th, 1896, will be a lien upon all the property contained and described therein as therein assessed for its proportion of the cost of said improvement.

Notice is also given that all sums levied and assessed in said assessment roll are due and payable immediately, and that the payment of each of said sums respectively is to be made to me within thirty days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: thirty days from April 10, 1896, and that all assessments not paid before the expiration of thirty days will become, and will be declared to be delinquent, and that thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of each delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment, will be added thereto.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland and Street Superintendent of the City of Oakland.
Dated April 10, 1896.

PROBATE NOTICE.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Devin, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc., and application for letters of administration with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Elizabeth Devin, deceased, and for the issuance to Annie Shields of letters of Administration with the will annexed has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 13th day of April, A. D. 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated, April 1st, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
Fitzgerald & Abbott attorneys for Petitioner.
Oakland, Cal.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Catherine Murray, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Catherine Murray, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of F. J. Brearty, 876 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Catherine Murray, deceased.

RHODY MURRAY,
Administrator of the estate of Catherine Murray, deceased.
Dated Oakland, March 17th, 1896

LEGAL.

ADJUDICATION OF INSOLVENCY

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Rudolf Bartsch, insolvent debtor.

Rudolf Bartsch having filed in this court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Rudolf Bautsch is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property, until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor, whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this court at least two days prior to the 10th day of April, 1896, be and appear before the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open court, at the courtroom of said court, Department No. 1, in the County of Alameda, on the said 10th day of April, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered that this order be published in the Oakland Weekly Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.

Dated Oakland, April 2, 1896.
F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

ADJUDICATION OF INSOLVENCY

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of Andrew S. Ruch, insolvent debtor.

Andrew S. Ruch having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, by which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Andrew S. Ruch is hereby declared to be insolvent.

The Sheriff of the County of Alameda is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of the said insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are forbidden to pay any debts to the said insolvent debtor, or to deliver any property belonging to said insolvent debtor to him, or to any person, firm or corporation, or association for his use.

The said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property, until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor, whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court, at least two days prior to the 20th day of April, 1896, be and appear before the Hon. John Ellsworth, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Courtroom of said Court, Department No. 3, in the County of Alameda, on the said 20th day of April, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the County of Alameda, as often as the said newspaper is printed before the said day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against the said insolvent debtor be stayed.

Dated April 11th, 1896.
A. L. FRICK,
Judge of the Superior Court.
(Endorsed:) Filed April 11, 1896.
FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
FITZGERALD & ABBOTT, Attorneys for Insolvent.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 16th, 1896, a statment under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridiam on the

First Monday of March, 1896,

in accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 16th, 1896, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1896.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, Mar. 2nd, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1896 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 420 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

LEGAL.

AN ORDINANCE

Fixing the Rates and Compensation for the Sale, Rental, or Distribution of Water by the Contra Costa Water Company, (A Corporation) and the Oakland Water Company, (A Corporation), in the County of Alameda, Other Than in the City or Town Therein.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Whereas, a petition has been heretofore presented to this Board to regulate and control the rates and compensation to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, and the Oakland Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental, or distribution of water in the County of Alameda, other than in any City or Town therein, and the said petition, together with a notice of the time and place of hearing thereof, has been published and posted for the time and in the manner required by law, and at the time fixed for said hearing, and subsequent times to which the said hearing was regularly postponed, all persons interested in the matters of said petition, who desired to be heard have been heard by this Board, and this Board now having duly considered all the statements, facts and evidence presented to it, and this Board, having from its estimates made therefrom, determined and concluded that the rates hereinafter designated will be equal, reasonable and just, both to the rate-payer and to the said corporations, and within the rule and limits prescribed by law. The following monthly maximum rates and compensation are hereby fixed and established to be collected by the Contra Costa Water Company, a corporation, and the Oakland Water Company, a corporation, for the sale, rental or distribution by them of water in the county of Alameda, other than in any City or Town therein.

For houses and tenements occupied by a single family, and public or private buildings (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, tenement or building (covering a ground surface of

Square feet	One Story.	Two stories	Three stories upwards
1 to 400.....	45	65	75
401 to 500.....	55	80	95
501 to 600.....	85	95	1 10
601 to 700.....	75	1 15	1 30
701 to 800.....	85	1 25	1 45
801 to 900.....	95	1 40	1 65
901 to 1000.....	1 05	1 55	1 80
1001 to 1200.....	1 10	1 65	1 90
1201 to 1400.....	1 15	1 70	2 00
1401 to 1600.....	1 20	1 80	2 10
1601 to 1800.....	1 25	1 85	2 20
1801 to 2000.....	1 30	1 95	2 25
2001 to 2200.....	1 35	2 00	2 35
2201 to 2400.....	1 40	2 10	2 45
2401 to 2600.....	1 45	2 15	2 50
2601 to 2800.....	1 50	2 25	2 60
2801 to 3000.....	1 55	2 30	2 70
3001 to 3200.....	1 60	2 40	2 80
3201 to 3400.....	1 65	2 45	2 85
3401 to 3600.....	1 70	2 55	2 95
3601 to 3800.....	1 75	2 60	3 05
3801 to 4000.....	1 80	2 70	3 15

For houses, tenements or buildings of one story, covering a ground area of more than 4,000 square feet, five (5) cents for each additional 200 square feet or fractional part thereof shall be added, and for two stories fifty per cent, and for three stories and upwards seventy-five per cent shall be further added to the rate for one story.

Where a single house, dwelling or tenement is occupied by more than one family in addition to the foregoing rates one-half of said rates for each additional family.

Hotels, taverns and boarding houses (not including water for baths, water closets, urinals, or for uses outside of the house, or building) shall be charged for each guest, boarder and lodger within the same, in addition to the rates above specified.

For each day boarder, $0.05.

Lodging houses, buildings containing business offices, and boarding schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each person occupying, lodging, living or staying within the same, $0.08.

Public and private day schools, in addition to the rates above specified, for each pupil, $0.01.

Stores, offices, banks, warehouses, blacksmith shops, churches, halls and business premises, taking water only for ordinary purposes at the rates specified.

For saloons, places of amusement, beer halls, groceries, restaurants, eating houses, barber shops, butcher shops, confectionaries, photograph galleries, printing offices, green houses, horse troughs, soda fountains, engine houses, according to the estimated quantity of water used, at from $0.75 to $7.50 or, in case of disagreement in estimtaes, at meter rates, as herein.

For slaughter houses, breweries, bottling establishments, railroads, steam engines, powers, motors, elevators, mills, manufactories, jails, laundries, or for other purposes not specially rated in this schedule, and requiring a large quantity of water, acording to the quantity of water used, at meter rates.

For water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0.20.

Each additional water closet for use in one private dwelling, $0.15.

For each water closet for use in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, saloons, public houses, public buildings, or public premises, or in a position accessible to, or used by other than one private family, $0.75.

For each urinal accessible to other than one private family, $0.20.

Each urinal for use in one private dwelling, $0.10.

For each bath tub in private dwelling, $0.40.

For each bath tub in hotels, boarding and lodging houses, boarding schools, or accessible to other than one private family, $0.75.

Each bath tub in bathing establishments and barber shops, $1.25.

Swimming baths at meter rates.

Irrigation of lawns, gardens and grounds, five mills (5m) per square yard per month, payable every month in the year; provided that there shall be no charge for irrigation less than $2.40 per year.

For water used for washing sidewalks, windows, fronts of buildings and stores, for the first twenty-five lineal front feet facing the street, one cent per lineal foot; for each additional lineal front foot, one-half cent; hose used for these purposes shall not have a nozzle larger than ¾ of an inch in diameter of orifice.

For horse kept in private stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0.40.

Each horse kept in livery stable, including water for washing one vehicle, $0.35.

Each car, stage, omnibus, saddle and draught horse and mule, $0.25.

Provided that in no case shall any stable be charged less than $0.40.

Each cow, $0.15.

For water to make mortar, for each one thousand brick used, $0.15.

For water to slack each barrel of lime used for any purpose other than for laying brick, $0.20.

For water to moisten each barrel of cement used, $0.05.

For water used to settle earth when replacing it in ditch or excavation, for each cubic yard of earth, $0.01.

Bakers according to the monthly use of flour for each twenty-five barrels or fractional part thereof, $1.00.

For water furnished for any and all other purposes not otherwise embraced in this schedule, shall be supplied by meter at the following rates:

Forty cents per thousand gallons, provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $2.50.

Thirty-five cents per thousand gallons provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $25.

Thirty cents per thousand gallons provided the monthly bill shall not be less than $50.

For the water used in sprinkling streets and roads by the county of Alameda, its officers, employes, or those contracting with the county for the work of sprinkling said streets and roads, or used by persons authorized by the county or its officers, shall be charged to and paid for by the county monthly, at the rate of fifteen cents per thousand gallons, the quantity so used to be determined by meters, or by an accurate monthly account to be kept by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road District, of the number of casks or sprinkling-wagon loads used, and of the quantity of water each cask or sprinkling wagon holds, correct copies of said accounts to be furnished by the Road Commissioner or Road Foreman of each Road District monthly, at the close of each calendar month, to the Contra Costa Water Company, or Oakland Water Company.

Water used by the county of Alameda, its officers, or persons authorized by the county or its officers for flushing or cleaning sewers, shall be supplied through meters only, and the quantity of water so used shall be charged to and paid for by the county, monthly, at the rate of fifteen cents per thousand gallons. The rate of compensation to be charged and collected monthly from the county of Alameda, for water supplied to, and by, and through fire hydrants for fire purposes, and for the protection against fire thus afforded, and not including water used or taken by, through or from fire hydrants for any other purpose, shall be three dollars per month for each fire hydrant.

Section 2. The monthly rates due and collectable under this Ordinance shall be payable monthly in advance, except the rates for water furnished by meter, or for public uses, which shall be payable at the end of each calendar month; and all water rates, except the rates for water for public use, if not paid within fifteen days after becoming due, shall be subject to an addition of five per cent.

Section 3. The Contra Costa Water Company, and the Oakland Water Company, shall, by authorized agents, make personal examination of the premises of any applicant for water, or upon a consumer's request for a readjustment of rates, and shall designate rates strictly in accordance with those herein established.

Said agents shall have free access, during reasonable hours, to all premises supplied with water, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating rates; and should it appear from each examination that any consumer is excessively using, or is wasting water, said consumer shall be supplied at meter rates as herein.

Section 4. This Ordinance fixes the maximum water rates beyond which the said Contra Costa Water Company and the Oakland Water Company shall not be permitted to charge or collect for water supplied.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of May, A. D., 1896.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on Monday, April 6, 1896, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Johnston, Pelouze, Talcott and Chairman Bailey—5.
Noes—None.

HIRAM BAILEY,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.
Attest:
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk (SEAL)

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1895.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1895.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, tax collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California,

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1895 on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day, (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1895, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

First Monday in October, in the Year 1895,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November, 1895,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1896, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1895, will be payable to the undersigned, tax collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the tax collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1896, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3768 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1895, all the taxes whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

First Monday in October, 1895,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes both first and second installments will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 13th day of October, 1895.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE TO VOTERS!

REGISTRATION!

Office of the County Clerk,
Alameda Co., State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, held on the 13th day of January, 1896, it was ordered that the Clerk of said County make a new and

COMPLETE REGISTRATION

of the voters of said County, in accordance with the provisions of Section 1094 of the Political Code of the State of California, that said registration commence on the 17th day of February 1896, and continue until 35 days before the next General Election, to wit., to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Now, therefore, this is to give notice, that in pursuance of said order, said new registration will commence on the 17th day of February, 1896, and continue to and including August 9th, 1896, when such registration will cease.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavits for registration may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the County, or any Deputy County Assessor without charge. Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. All naturalized citizens who have not been registered before must present papers when applying for registration.

The office of the County Clerk at the Hall of Records, Oakland, Cal., will be open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 p. m. to 9 p. m. for the accommodation of voters. All citizens are notified to apply for registration at once.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, and when names are entered on the Great Register postal cards will be sent to each citizen of the date of such entry. If postal is not received voters should ascertain at once for his own protection the reason why.

Feb. 17, 1896.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.
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MRS. POTTER IS HERE.

The Well-Known Actress Is on a Visit to Her Parents.

Mrs. Cora Urquhart Potter reached Oakland last night and will remain here for several days visiting her parents, Colonel and Mrs. Urquhart. Mrs. Potter and Mr. Bellew are going to Australia on a starring tour, and will be joined there by a troupe of English and Australian players.

Mrs. Potter is looking very charming and is delighted to be in California once more although she is disappointed at being unable to play here until her return eight months hence. In Australia the company will present "Charlotte Corday," "As You Like It," "The Royal Divorce," "La Tosca," "David Garrick," "Cavalleria Rusticana," "She Stoops to Conquer," "Camille" and Francillon." Mrs. Potter is down on Daly as a manager, because he does not advertise and hesitates to spend money, but as a friend she likes him very well.

Mrs. Potter is also a new woman, almost on the advanced suffrage lines. "The clinging vine woman is out of fashion," she said, "the idea now is to let women work out the good or the genius that is in them. I believe in letting a woman choose her own career. We are not all dolls cut out of paper by pattern. Some of us were not cut out of the Fireside Companion, and for these there is another way. If a woman be domestic and choose that life, then she is independent and it is all right."

Success has agreed with Mrs. Potter, and she looks much younger than she did at her last appearance on this coast. She is one of the most charming and original actresses on the stage at the present day. In speaking of her work, she said: "Just say I love to act as well as ever and that I know myself better than before. I hope when my California friends see me they will say I have improved."

Bay City flour is the whitest. Try it.

A Young Men's Debate.

The Men's Club of the First Free Baptist Church will hold an open meeting at 8 o'clock tonight, in the vestry of the church, to which all their friends are invited. The following question will be discussed: "Resolved, That the United States Government is now a practical oligarchy and not a republic."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE SINGERS ARE HERE.

Salt Lake's Mormon Choir Will Be Heard in Oakland Tonight.

A Review of First-Night Attractions at the Leading Theaters.

The great Mormon Tabernacle Choir arrived in Oakland this morning on the overland. A superlative entertainment will be given this evening at the First Congregational Church, and the enormous demand for tickets indicates that the spacious structure will be filled to overflowing.

The choir has a strong force of soprano, contralto, tenor and bass soloists, and has besides three special features in Willard Wethe, a violin virtuoso who was a pupil of Ole Bull; Maud May Babcock, the reciter of the company, a young Harvard graduate, and Charlie Pike, the boy contralto, who is said to have a voice whose strength and richness is seldom equalled even in a full grown woman.

The Mormon Choir is acknowledged as the finest in America, if not in the world. It won the first prize in the great contest at the World's Fair.

THE OAKLAND.

The popular melodrama, "The Streets of New York," received a careful production last night at the Oakland Theater. The Bacon Company was at its best, and the individual work of its members showed that they were artists in their line. The piece is a familiar one, and deals with New York life in all its phases. The settings are new and attractive, while the property effects, especially in the fire scene, are well handled.

Norval McGregor, as "Badger," a clerk, handles his part cleverly, while his make-up is excellent. George Hermance, the stage manager, as the old sea captain, is at his best, and Frank Bacon creates amusement as "Danny."

Virginia Jackson, in the role of "Lucy Fairweather," proves her ability, while the other characters are all well sustained.

Without doubt, the "Streets of New York" is an interesting entertainment, and it will assuredly fill the house all week.

"PUDD'NHEAD WILSON."

Frank Mayo's new play, the one which he has made of Mark Twain's Missouri story, it is said, takes all hearts by storm, and "Pudd'nhead Wilson makes for himself a welcome that will give the play glad greeting from theater goers for many years to come. Mr. Mayo's success as the queer old Missouri hero when Mark Twain created, will, it is said, cast into oblivion all of Mr. Mayo's former great success. His business has tested the capacity of houses during the latter part of his visit to each city in which it has been seen. Mr. Mayo and his clever company will present the play at the Macdonough next Monday and Tuesday evenings.

THE BALDWIN.

Richard Mansfield, in "Beau Brummell," proved a star attraction at the Baldwin last night. His acting has lost none of its power to please, and one of its chief features is that he is perfectly natural. Mansfield's art never for a moment flags from the first scene, when the foppish leader of fashion sits before his mirror, powder puff in hand, to the supreme moment when he falls dead of slow starvation in his miserable Calais lodging. Throughout the whole performance there is not one strained effect nor meretricious bit of play, nothing that fails to confirm the theater goer's own observation of life.

THE CALIFORNIA.

The "Night Clerk," with Peter F. Dailey in the title role, continues to draw good houses at the California this week. The laughing comedy keeps the audience in good humor from start to finish, and Dailey proves that he is an actor of decided merit. Next week the piece will give way to Roland Reed.

THE COLUMBIA.

Frank Mayo, in "Pudd'nhead Wilson," is still a drawing card at the Columbia, where the quaint old characters are well received. Next week Ezra Kendall will appear.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

The familiar melodrama from Jules Verne's book, "Michael Strogoff," is given an elaborate production at Morosco's Grand Opera House this week. Although the play is decidedly a familiar one, its chief merit now lies in the clever manner in which it is staged. In the palace scene, the full depth of the big stage is utilized, and the settings are excellent. The piece will continue all week.

THE TIVOLI.

The second week of "Blue Beard" opened at the Tivoli last night. That it still continues to please was demonstrated by the large audience and the enthusiasm with which the special features were received. The settings are all brilliant, and the dances a very enjoyable feature.

THE ALCAZAR.

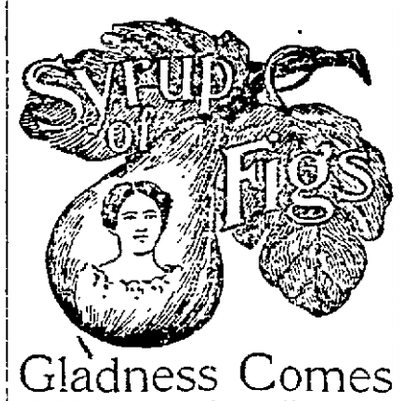
"Cad the Tomboy" is the card at the Alcazar this week. Last night, Grover's Company gave a very careful and amusing interpretation of the comedy drama, and the show proves that it will fill the houses nightly.

THE ORPHEUM.

Some strong novelties were presented at the Orpheum last night, which made a hit. The Hewetts and the Marvelles were well received, and Elena Lella, Rosie Rendel, Adonis Ames, La Bella Carmen, Bruet and Riviere and the Nawns were greeted with much applause.

A BIG CIRCUS COMING.

The great and only Joe Kane is on the road again. He is press advance agent of the combined Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Circuses, a combination that forms the greatest show in the world. It is as large as any three circuses that ever visited the coast. The aggregation is already on its way West, and Joe will soon be shaking hands with his Oakland friends again.



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With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

W. H. Rouse of Calaveras county is in this city.

G. H. Potter has gone to Los Angeles.

Miss Ollie Brentano and Master Herbert Hanna have returned to their home from Jacksonville, Or.

Mrs. M. Campbell is in Napa.

Miss Minnie Luck is visiting in Napa.

E. E. Goodrich has returned to San Jose, after a short visit in this city.

Mrs. Sullivan of this city will spend the summer at the El Monte, Los Gatos.

Miss May Hochholgen of Alameda is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Koppity of Los Gatos.

Miss Stella Ames of this city will give an entertainment in Haywards on the 21st.

James L. Flannigan and wife, nee Miss Mamie Baker, of East Oakland, are spending their honeymoon in the south.

The marriage of Miss Annie Boek and Mr. Sorenson occurs this evening at the bride's home.

The Spring Art exhibition of the Mark Hopkins' Institute opens on Thursday evening.

The U. C. Glee Club and the First Congregational Church orchestra will give a joint concert on April 21st at the First Congregational Church.

Mrs. Robert S. Moore is visiting friends in Los Angeles.

The R. S. Social Club will give a fancy domino party Friday evening, April 17, at I. O. O. F. Hall, East Oakland.

The Fifth Regiment Band will give a ball in Military Hall this evening.

Piedmont Parlor, N. D. G. W., will give a social at Loring Hall a week from Friday.

Two Oakland society girls participated in Mrs. Hager's amateur theatricals at N. S. G. W. Hall last evening. They were Miss Minnie Houghton and Miss Ella Goodall. The former played the part of the heroine, "Miss Nellie Goldengate," in the play, "A Modern Ananias." Miss Goodall played the role of "Prudence," a New England maiden, with firm ideas of propriety. Her singing was one of the most delightful features of the evening. Both did some very clever acting.

Mrs. G. C. Peralta and her daughter, Eleanor, left this morning for an extended southern trip. They will visit Bakersfield, Santa Monica and Los Angeles.

Miss Florence Watt, who has been dangerously ill with typhoid fever for the past three weeks, and under the skillful treatment of Dr. Crowley, is convalescing.

Sunday School Delegates.

The Zion Sunday School of the First English Lutheran church, corner of Grove and Sixteenth street, has elected Miss Lillie Moller and Mrs. D. A. Johnson as delegates to attend the Sunday School Convention to be held in the Twenty-third Avenue Baptist Church of East Oakland, April 25th. Miss Trolle and Mrs. S. A. Williard were elected alternates.

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THE WEATHER.

FORECAST MADE IN SAN FRANCISCO FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M. APRIL 15, 1896.

Northern California: Probably fair tonight and Wednesday; some danger of frost in the interior tonight; warmer Wednesday; brisk to high northwesterly winds on the northern coast.

Southern California: Partly cloudy with occasional showers in the mountains this afternoon, generally fair tonight and Wednesday; somewhat cooler tonight; fresh to brisk northwesterly winds.

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